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GANDHIJI'S ADVICE TO U. P. CONGRESSMEN

"F" Ward Recommends Purge For Contravention Of August Resolution

The Hon. Secretary of the "F" Ward (Parel) Ward D.C.C. writes:—The Managing Council of the "F" Ward Dist. Congress Committee at its meeting held on Sunday last, passed a resolution recommending to the higher Congress authorities to take disciplinary action and debar those individuals and groups within Congress who had acted in contravention of the resolution of the A. I. C. C. passed on the 8th Aug. 1942.

NO TRUCK WITH MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

CAWNPORE, Oct. 11.

The second day session of the Representative Assembly of U. P. Congressmen met this afternoon under the presidentship of Babu Purshottam Das Tandan.

The president moved a resolution sending most respectful greetings and felicitations to Mahatma Gandhi on the auspicious occasion of his 75th birthday, hoping that he would be long spared to the country to carry on the great work of political and spiritual emancipation and praying that the people of the land may prove worthy of their great leader. The resolution was passed all standing.

A resolution expressing its sense of sorrow on the death of the American statesman Mr Wendell Willkie, was also passed. The resolution conveyed sincere sympathy to Mrs. Willkie and stated that by his death at this important juncture in world affairs, the cause of Democracy and Liberty of repressed nationalities has suffered a grievous loss. Another resolution condoled the deaths of 24 Congressmen from different places of the province.

The Assembly after one hour discussion decided by 44 votes to 32 that the Congress shall not take part in the forthcoming municipal elections. The resolution on the subject directed that no member of the Congress shall contest the elections in his individual capacity or take part in canvassing for any candidate. The resolution added that no Congressmen shall stand for election as chairman of a board or accept this post if elected.

The Assembly will meet again tomorrow afternoon to discuss a resolution on the subject of Gandhi-Jinnah talks.—A. P.

U. P. TO SUPPORT GANDHIJI'S STAND?

CAWNPORE, Oct. 11

The 'United Press' understands that Gandhiji's reaction to the breakdown of the Gandhi-Jinnah talks was apprised by Mrs. Vijayalaxmi Pandit to the members of the new Executive Committee of the U. P. Congress Representative Assembly. It is learnt that a resolution supporting Gandhiji's stand 'vis-a-vis' Mr. Jinnah's demand will be pressed at the session of the U. P. Congressmen.—United Press.

Mrs. Pandit On Her U. S. Trip

CAWNPORE, Oct. 11

Interviewed by the 'United Press', Mrs. Vijayalaxmi Pandit said that she would visit America direct as soon as she got a passport and would stay there for three months.

Here is a purely private visit to meet her daughters.

"It is possible," she added, "that I might visit a number of the States comprising the U. S. A."

Her autobiography is being published soon both in America and England.

Mrs. Pandit has applied for passport only two days back. She is leaving for Allahabad this evening and will stay there till her departure for America.—United Press.

MR. PATHAK TO RESIGN

CAWNPORE, Oct. 11: In pursuance of the Congress decision, Mr. Radhey Shyam Pathak, it is understood, is tendering resignation of the membership of the Allahabad Municipal Board.—United Press.

Rajaji Blames Jinnah

MADRAS, Oct. 11.

Mr. C. Rajagopalachari characterised Mr. Jinnah's demand as unreasonable, when he addressed the students of the Loyla College. He said that the Gandhi-Jinnah talks failed on two points; firstly Mr. Jinnah wanted to divide the country without asking the people, and secondly he wanted not only the areas which were peopled by predominently Muslim population but also certain non-Muslim areas. Both were unreasonable. If a man persisted in being unreasonable for a length of time, he would not remain a leader, or he must change when public opinion made itself felt. If the Muslims were convinced of the reasonableness of the offer made to Mr. Jinnah, Mahatma Gandhi would win.—A. P.

GANDHIJI TO GIVE NEW LEAD TO COUNTRY

CAWNPORE, Oct. 11.

That Gandhiji is contemplating presently to give a new lead to the country was revealed by Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Pandit addressing the Assembly of U. P. Congressmen this afternoon.

She added that suggestions for the constructive programme were pouring in Sevagram.

She also revealed that Gandhiji was taking keen interest in the Kasturba National Memorial Fund.

She expressed the opinion that the oversubscription to the Kasturba National Memorial Fund. She expressed that the over subscription to the Kasturba National Memoral Fund without such a short space without any effort testified to Gandhiji's hold over India and belied all the wishful thinking or prophecy of some foreign papers that Gandhiji has lost his hold on the Indian mind.—United Press.

Mahatma Thanks All

WARDHA, Oct. 11.

Mahatma Gandhi has issued the following statement to the press:

"Numerous messages of birthday greetings from all over have been received and are still being received. It is impossible for me to send individual acknowledgement. I take this opportunity through the courtesy of the press of thanking all the senders for their kind wishes."—A. P.

CONGRESS M.L.As TO ATTEND CENTRAL ASSEMBLY

BOMBAY, Oct. 11: The 'United Press' learns that Congress members of the Central Assembly will attend the next session of the Assembly commencing on November 1. A circular to this effect was, it is understood, issued by Mr. Bhulabhai Desai, Leader of the Party, to the members.

A meeting of the Congress Assembly Party will also be held on October 31 at New Delhi.

MAHATMA CONSULTED

The 'United Press' understands that Mr. Desai discussed the question of the Congress members attending the Central Assembly with Mahatma Gandhi recently and a decision in the affirmative was reached.

The 'United Press' further learns that a circular issued by the Leader of the Congress Assembly Party says that if any unforeseen circumstances arise the decision in the matter of attending the Assembly session by the Party members will be changed.—United Press.

Morarji Desai For Sabarmati Jail

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Mr. Morarji R. Desai, ex-Revenue Minister of the Government of Bombay who was under detention in Yaravda Jail since August 1942, was transfered to Sabarmati Jail today.

In Burma

WEST AFRICANS CAPTURE MOWDOK

KANDY, Oct. 11: Following is the text of the S.E.A.C. Communique:—

ARAKAN: A group of eighty Japanese who attacked men of the Royal Garhwal Rifles broke before a bayonet-charge losing a number killed. South-west of Maungdaw enemy artillery shelled our recently captured position in the Mayu Hills.

West African troops have captured Mowdok, but contact with the enemy is still reported in the frontier hills north-east of the village.

CHIN HILLS: The Tiddim—Fort White Road is under shell-fire from our guns. Indian troops, moving on Tiddim from the east, beat off counter-attacks. Many Japanese wounded were left in front of our positions.—A. P.

War Criminals & Portuguese Govt's Assurance

LONDON, Oct. 11: The Portuguese Government has informed the British Government that it will not be granting asylum in its territory to permit war criminals to escape the decision of national or international tribunals competent to try them. This statement was made in the Commons to-day by Mr. Richart Law, Minister of State at the Foreign Office.—Reuter.

'WHITE' JUSTICE FOR INDIANS

JOHANNESBURG, Oct. 11

Speaking to Transvaal Provincial Congress United Party here to-night General Smuts said "White South Africa is big, strong and honest enough to do justice to all races and all colours, and we shall do so taking into consideration our known attitude of separatism in housing, work circles and associations. Dr. Malan now wants to exploit politically the Indian question in Durban, although it is a question for which he must bear heavy responsibility. In spite of his present attitude, we hope to arrive at a satisfactory solution of this thorny problem. From Government's side, everything possible will be done to reach such a solution."—Reuter.

Subramanyam To Quit "Tribune"

LAHORE, Oct. 11: A decision to terminate the services of Mr. Subramanyam, editor of the "Tribune", was taken at a meeting of the Board of Trustees.

The Board has requested Mr. Kalinath Ray, former editor of the "Tribune" to rejoin as editor-in-chief and leader-writer. Mr. P. T. Chandra, assistant editor, has been appointed as acting editor-in-charge.

Mr. Subramanyam, before he joined the "Tribune" nearly a year and a half ago, was joint editor of the "Hindustan Times", New Delhi.—A. P.

Battle For Sheldt Pocket

Canadians Land Forces Behind Nazi Lines

LONDON, Oct. 11: The German Overseas News Agency reported today that the Canadians landed new forces at Breskens behind the German lines in the Scheldt pocket.

The Canadians in the pocket on the Leopold Canal are still holding their ground against very strong enemy opposition. The Germans already have thrown thirty counter-attacks against this bridgehead. Just south of the Savoy outlet, Canadian troops have advanced 1,000 yards in very stiff fighting.

The German News Agency says that the German Commander at Aachen has retused the surrender ultimatum.

EXPLOSIONS IN DUNKIRK

All through the night South-East Coast residents heard terrific explosions coming from the Dunkirk area. Windows and doors rattled here and watchers on the seafront saw great vivid flashes across the sea. It is thought that the explosions signified renewal of air and land attacks on Dunkirk and further demolitions by the Germans.

The explosions which continued after daylight were felt well inland.

S.H.A.E.F. COMMUNIQUE

S.H.A.E.F., Oct. 11: General Eisenhower's communique states "The Allied force which landed on the south bank of the Scheldt estuary has improved its position east of Breskens. Fighters and fighter bombers attacked enemy strong points in the area yesterday. Elsewhere, air operations were restricted by the weather.

Heavy fighting continues in the area of the Leopold Canal bridgehead. North of Antwerp, we have cut the main road leading from the mainland to Zuid Beveland. A sharp enemy attack near Dodewaard on the Waal was repulsed yesterday morning.

A twenty-four hour ultimatum to surrender was served on the German forces in Aachen on Tuesday. Earlier units of the northern army of our encircling movement captured Scharfenberg and Bardenberg and advanced to Wurselen.

Other units moving up from the South and East had reached Haaren and had cut the main Aachen-Cologne highway. By noon the enemy was being mopped up in the northern part of Haaren. German counter-attacks were repulsed at Crucifix Hill, southeast of Harren, and in area of the Bardenberg.

Hard fighting is in progress southwest of Hurtgen, and our troops have made gains. Patrol activity and sporadic artillery fire are reported along the frontier in the area of Monschau. House to house fighting is in progress in Maizieres Le Metz. East of Luneville, our troops in forest De Parroy advanced about 1,500 yards. East of Epinal, our positions were improved, despite increased enemy artillery fire. After hard fighting in the Le Thillot sector, our troops have established a substantial bridgehead across the Moselotte river. Heavy losses were inflicted on the enemy. Several strong points near Le Thillot have been taken against stiff resistance. The forest of Longegoutte and Gehan have been largely mopped up. Progress has been made in the Champagney region west of Belfort."

GERMAN COMMUNIQUE

BERLIN, Oct. 11: Today's (Wednesday's) German communique reported that Soviet forces have landed on Hoaeni peninsula in the far north Finland. Near the East Prussian frontier, Tauroggen was evacuated. The communique said "In the Aachen area the Americans continued their attempts to envelop the city. Our troops are putting up grim resistance. Heavy fighting also occurred north-east of Nancy in Parroy Forest and on both side of Remiremont. In the Etruscan Appenians, on Adriatic coast, British and Americans made only minor attacks. In southern Hungary German troops repelled enemy attempts to cross Theiss. South-west of Debreczen, a great tank battle has developed. North of Warsaw and south of Rozan, the Soviets went over to strong attacks. Breaches were either eliminated or narrowed down. 'North of the Niemen, new Soviet break-through attempts broke down on the east Prussian frontier and in the Memel tip. Tauroggen, near the East Prussian frontier was evacuated. On the arctic front, the Soviets have gone over to attack in a bid to pierce our lines in the Petsamo area.—Reuter.

Holsinger Withdraws From Contest

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Major William Philip Sidney, Victoria Cross, son-in-law of Lord Gort was today returned to Parliament unopposed in the Chelsea by election caused by the elevation to peerage of Sir Samuel Hoare. Major Sidney is National Conservative candidate. Mr. Frederick Holsinger who was to have opposed him said today that owing to illness he had been unable to complete his arrangements for nomination. "I strained every nerve to arrange for taking up the contest but found it quite impossible to get anything like enough help" he said.

LEASING OF BR. WAR FACTORIES

LONDON, Oct. 11: About 1,000 war factories built by the British Government since 1938 are shortly to be allocated to selected contractors for a preliminary lease of ten years at the estimated 1939 open market rental. The only applicants whose projects conform to Governments six point "National Interest" standard will be eligible. The scheme was outlined here to-day by Sir Philip Warter, Controller-General of Factory and storage premises.—Reuter.

JAP ROUT AT GOPPE PASS

First Sign Of Major Activity On Arakan Front

MAUNGDAW, Oct. 11

Funeral pyres are burning to-night on the western banks of the Kalapanzin River near Goppe Bazaar, where almost 100 Japs were killed in a short, fierce battle at the entrance to the vital eight-miles-long Goppe pass, which winds across the Mayu Range from Bawli Bazaar, important road-head on the Arakan coastal strip.

This was the first sign of major activity on the Arakan front since last May. It had every indication of being a small repetition of last February's famous battle for the Ngakyedauk pass, 20 miles farther south, which made Seventh Indian Division so famous, writes an Indian Army Observer.

Moving up the Liri Chaung, a north-south valley a few miles east of the Kalapanzin, the Japs swung westwards across the wild jungle tracts to attack the perimeter defences from the north-east. Within a few hours of the outbreak of firing, the enemy had been completely routed.

Thirty of them were killed by fire from our mortars, which prevented their seizing an important hill. Fifty more were killed by accurate fire from Sikh-manned guns, some of them while eating their evening meal in a shaded chaung.—A. P.

INDIAN BUSINESSMEN FOR AMERICA

Leading Organisations of business in the United States of America have cabled an invitation to the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry to attend and participate in an International Business Conference which is being organised under their auspices and which is expected to be held in Atlantic City from November 10 to 18, 1944.

Important questions such as maintenance of Private Enterprise, Commercial Policy of Nations, Currency Relations amongst nations, encouragement and protection of investment, Industrialisation of new areas Shipping Policy Aviation Policy, International supplies of materials etc., are coming up before the Conference for consideration.

The Federation has decided to send a complete Delegation of six Delegates and six Advisers to attend the Conference and have constituted the following as the personnel of the Delegation:

Sir Chunilal B. Mehta, Bombay Leader; Mr. Gaganvihari L. Mehta Calcutta, Deputy Leader; Mr. Satya Paul Virmani, Amritsar. Mr. Abdul Rahim Siddique, Calcutta, Mr. J. C. Mahendra, Calcutta and Mr. David S. Erulkar, London.

ADVISERS: Dr. P. S. Lokanathan, New Delhi; Mr. Mahomed Akbar Fazalbhoy, Bombay; Dr. Jariwala, Bombay and Mr. V. M. Bhatt, Assistant Secretary, Federation.

The other two members would be selected by the leader from persons available in the States, after he reaches New York.

Mr. V. M. Bhatt will act as the Secretary to the Delegation.

Mr. J. C. Mahendra and Dr. Jariwala are already in the States while Mr. David S. Erulkar is expected to fly from London to New York.

Members of the Delegation from India are expected to leave this country sometime in the last week of this month. The Government of the United States of America have very kindly offered Air Transport priorities for the members of the Delegation from India, while the Government of India have very kindly agreed to offer all facilities to the Delegation in connection with their trip to the U.S.A. and back to India.

Case Against Khuhro

SUKKUR, Oct. 11

A 'Challan' was presented in the Court of the District Magistrate, Sukkur at 4-30 p.m. to-day against five persons in the Allahbux Murder Case. The accused persons are: Khan Bahadur M. A. Khuhro; his brother Wadero Mohd. Nawaz Khuhro; Allahrakhayo; Karimbux and Paryo, and the 'Challan' is under sections 120-B, 302 and 307 I.P.C.

None of the accused was presented in Court, as all of them are already under judicial lock-up.

Daresh was produced yesterday before the District Magistrate and granted King's pardon and made an approver.—A. P.

BOMBAY, Oct. 11.

His Highness Sir Azam Jah Bahadur G.B.E., Prince of Berar paid an informal visit to H.M.I.S. Berar and H.M.I.S. Feroze, officers training establishment of the Royal Indian Navy in Bombay.

LATEST NEWS

BOMBARDMENT OF AACHEN

Special Correspondent Outside Aacnen, Wednesday. Oct. 11: Two-hundred heavy American guns began a terrific bombardment of Aachen this evening. They opened up immediately after bombing Aachen by planes which lasted one hour and a half.

The Bucharest radio to-night broadcast a special Rumanian High Command 'communique' reporting the capture of the city of Cluj.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE CLUJ AND SZEGED

MOSCOW, Oct. 11: The Russians have captured Cluj said Marshal Stalin in an Order of the Day tonight confirming the earlier German report.

The order also announced the capture of Szeged.—Reuter.

Battle For Belgrade

Tilsit Shelled By Soviet Batteries: New Crossings Of River Tisa

MOSCOW Oct. 11.

(From Reuter's special correspondent):

The German armies in Hungary today are being split up into isolated groups as Soviet mobile forces including Cossacks, drive new wedges into the German lines. Behind the forward troops a second Soviet line is combing forests for "suicide" battalions which the Germans have left behind to disrupt Russian lines of communication.

TILSIT SHELLED

Soviet heavy batteries from advanced positions in the south-eastern corner of the Memel region have commenced shelling the German town of Tilsit on the frontier. Smaller guns are raining shells on German labour battalions rushed up to repair broken fortifications in this area.

RIVER TISA CROSSED

LONDON, Oct. 11: The free Yugoslav radio today quoted Marshal Tito's 'communique' reporting that the Red Army has made new crossings of the River Tisa in North-Eastern Yugoslavia. "In their advance from Tisa towards the Danube, they captured several places including Ada on the west bank of the Tisa."

The 'communique" added. "The escape of German forces from Serbia to the north has been completely frustrated. Our units continuing their offensive operations south of Belgrade are now fighting in the vicinity of the Capital."

MASS RAIDS ON PORT OF RIGA

MOSCOW, Oct. 10: The air communique says "on the night of October 9 our long range bombers carried out mass raids on the Port of Lipaja and the port of Riga. German transport in harbour military stores and military trains were attacked. Twelve German transports were in the harbour during the raid on Lipaja. Large fires accompanied by explosions were observed in the harbour. A terrific explosion was also observed in the area of the railway station.

Indian Troops Advance Towards Cessena

From A. K. Qureshi, Associated Press of India' correspondent with the Indian troops in Italy, Wednesday, General Clark appears to be exerting maximum pressure for a break through to the Po basin somewhere between Imola, and Bologna, to-day's battle reports indicated.

Yesterday's announcement that British Thirteenth Corps troops had shifted to include in their sector the road to Imola was followed to-day by a dispatch stating that Americans had seized the hill top town of Gesso three miles north of British positions in the roadless mountain mass dominating the upper Sillaro Valley only eight and a half miles from the important Route Nine town of Castel San Pietro.

Against determined attacks by the British and Americans in this sector, Kesselring hurled wild ventures to throw back the Allied troops but they held. As the Fifth Army beat the counter-attacks here, American troops made all-round gains elsewhere including via Meilia, the main road to Bologna, where they have entered Livergnano.

On the Eighth Army Front, Indian and British troops have cleared the Germans from the whole ridge from Monte Gallo to Monte Farneto turning Kesselring's troops out of the houses they attempted to hold in Ronoofereddo and San Padulo. Indian troops have advanced half a mile in the direction of Cessena further imperilling the right flank of the Germans defending Route Nine west of Savignang.—A. P.

SEPOYS JAILED FOR ASSAULT ON CIVILIANS

MADRAS, Oct. 11: A Press Note issued by the Southern Army says:—As the result of a trial by a military court punishments have been awarded to number of sepoys who were responsible for causing a disturbance in Ranipet earlier this year.

They were found to have assaulted civilians and caused damage to civilian property.

One sepoy was sentenced to two years' R. I. and two others were sentenced to six months' R. I. each.—A. P.

Tokyo Communique On Allied Attack On Ryuku Islands

LONDON, Oct. 11: The Japanese imperial headquarters in a "communique" said to-day "Between seven a.m. and three-thirty p.m. yesterday four waves attacked Ok Nawa, Miyako and Amani—Oshima Islands.

Reuter adds: Amani—O'Shima is the most northerly of the Ryuku islands. Ok Nawa is in the Tsubu Shoto Group further south and Miyako is still further southwest just over 200 miles from Formosa.—Reuter.

LATEST COMMERCIAL

COTTON (DECEMBER)

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.

Previous Closing	21.86
Today's Opening	21.87
Difference	+01
Today's Closing	21.93
Difference	+07

The New York Cotton market will remain closed on Thursday.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.

New York Stocks Opening Prices: General Motors dol. 63-5/8 Anaconda Copper Mining dol. 27-3/8 U. S. Steel Common dol. 58-1/2 Pref. unquoted.—Reuter.

Anglo-Russian Tussle Over Polish Issue

American View Of British Premier's Visit To Moscow

LONDON, October 11: How America views Mr. Churchill's visit to Moscow is indicated in despatch to the New York "Times" from its London correspondent.

According to the despatch of Mr. Daniel, the correspondent of the "Times", the British see in Mr. Churchill's visit to Moscow a logical sequel to the Quebec talks. The British believe that Mr. Churchill is making the last pleas to M. Stalin against the balance of power politics, particularly regarding the Polish question.

A Moscow message to the American Press says that it is known that Mr. Churchill has been much absorbed lately in finding a solution to the Polish question, and he is committed to support a "sate" Russo-Polish frontier and the formation of a Polish Government committed to Soviet friendship.

U. S. WONT INTERVENE

Radio commentators Taylow Brown and Howe believed that the Balkans "where British and Russian spheres overlap" would be the major issue; but there was no suggestion that the United States should intervene in the Balkan problems.

Commentator Brown suggested that in view of Britain's and Russia's political and military campaign the question whether all major Allies see eye to eye on the strategy for the final defeat of Germany might well be discussed.

Commentator Vendercook interpreted the visit of Mr. Churchill as a well-timed gesture to reassure M. Stalin that the other powers are not plotting against him.—United Press.

POLISH PREMIER TO JOIN MOSCOW TALKS

LONDON, Oct. 11: It is understood that M. Stanislaw Mikolajczyk the Polish Prime Minister, has accepted an invitation to join in talks between Mr. Chuchill and Marshal Stalin and will go to Moscow at the earliest possible moment. He will be accompanied by M. Stanislaw Grabski, President of the National Council and M. Tabeusz Romer, Polish Foreign Minister, and possibly other members of the Polish Government in London.

A special meeting of the Polish Cabinet last night promised Mikolajczyk full backing for whatever agreement he might reach with the Soviet Government. General "Tabor" who is accompanying Mikolajczyk was chief of staff to General Botkomorawski who had however left Poland some months ago. He accompanied Mikolajszyk on the Polish Premier's last visit to Washington and took part in the conversations with the United States political and military authorities.

While the Polish Government so far have not received a direct reply from Moscow to its proposals for a solution of the Polish question, it is believed that the Soviet Government are not entirely opposed to its contents. An important new factor in the situation is that the Polish Socialist Party has taken up a less intransigient attitude towards the Russian demands. Also important is the fact that Mikolajczyk is personally still well viewed in Moscow and has never been attacked by the Soviet Press or the Lubin Committee.

Amending National Service Ordinance

(From Our Correspondent)

NEW DELHI, Oct. 11.

To meet recent complaints from 'Dufferin" Cadets, Government of India, I learn, are issuing an ordinance by amending the National Service Ordinance will entrust National Service Tribunals with the task of recruitment of cadets for Government Service.

The tribunal, for insance, will examine the claim of shipping companies, whether cadet candidates are essential for them and therefore should be exempted from Government Service.

It is hoped that by this method all legitimate complaints of cadets will be removed.

Eden And Molotov Confer

LONDON, Oct. 11.—An American broadcaster from Moscow today said after last night's banquet given in honour of Mr. Churchill by Marshal Stalin, Mr. Eden and M. Molotov Foreign Commissar went into conference and been together again the whole morning.—Reuter.

COST OF LIVING MOUNTS UP.

DURING AUGUST, THE WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR AHMEDABAD, WITH THE AVERAGE PRICES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JULY, 1927, EQUAL TO 100, WAS 222. THIS WAS 11 POINTS HIGHER THAN IN THE PRECEDING MONTH. THE INDEX NUMBER FOR FOOD ARTICLES ADVANCED BY 17 POINTS TO 226.

STALIN STRESSES POST-WAR 'BANDOBAST'

MOSCOW, Oct. 11: In one of the two speeches at the luncheon given by Marshal Stalin in honour of Prime Minister Churchill and Mr. Eden on Tuesday, Marshal Stalin said that the Allies must be prepared for the peace as well as to maintain peace-time forces large enough to thwart aggression and the threat of aggression.

He referred to the work accomplished at the Dumbarton Oaks Conference and paid the warmest tribute to the British and American war effort.

Mr. Churchill in his speech which followed, paid a tribute to the Red Army and Marshal Stalin, and acknowledged the Soviet Marshal's high praise for the British contribution to the war.

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NO SURRENDER OF SOVEREIGNTY

British Press Reaction To Dumbarton Oaks Conference And Moscow Talks

LONDON, Oct. 10.

The British Prime Minister and Foreign Secretary have gone to Moscow to continue with Marshal Stalin the vital talks begun with President Roosevelt at Quebec and to review the plan agreed upon at Dumbarton Oaks, says the British Press in editorial comments today.

Papers say the new world organisation promises to be more effective than the old League of Nations. The "Times" assumes that the principal topic of the Moscow talks" will be the establishment of a solid basis for lasting peace in Europe. This supreme aim will guide and direct the discussion of the treatment to be accorded to Germany. The "Times" assumes that a settlement in the Balkans and the future of Poland will be among the questions discussed.

Discussing the Dumbarton Oaks Conference proposals, the "Times" says "the most conspicuous divergence from the Covenant of the League of Nations is the resolute attempt to isolate security from other aspects of international co-operation and to provide a more realistic machinery for dealing with it."

The "News Chronicle" notes critically "the new organisation like the old is to be based upon the sovereign equality of its members. Nations are not to be asked to surrender one shred of their sovereignty.

The "Manchester Guardian" comparing the new organisation and the old League says "the most obvious improvement is in the proposals for enforcing the will of the United Nations by collective action against the aggressor.—Reuter.

BOMBAY, Oct. 11.—The collections for the Kasturba Gandhi National Memorial Fund in the City and Suburbs of Bombay so far total Rs 19,52,639.—United Press.

The Half-Column By "Dim"

Beverley Nichol's book VERDICT ON INDIA has appeared in England but it has yet to appear here, where THACKERS are bringing out an Indian edition. Mr. Nichols is really very harmless, that is if you know Mr. Nichols at all. He has just that way of saying things which makes people furious enough to buy his books. His book on India is obviously intended to provoke all sorts of people in India—including Europeans, because, as Mr. Nichols knows, Europeans buy most of the books. Says Beverley: "The members of the Bombay European Association are a collection of liverish nobodies sunk in suburban complacency, ignorance, petty and pretentious...." Now, let's see, who is the Chairman of the Bombay European Association. It's C. P. Bramble, of course. Dear old Bramble! Interviewed by our unreliable reporter Mr. Bramble said: "I simply refuse to comment on Mr. Nichol's nonsensities. Besides, ...I won't allow myself to be upset today, as I am singing over All-India Radio tonight—tenor, of course. And what's more my liver is perfectly in order. If this sort of maligning of me and my associates continues, I shall call personally on H.E. and ask him to stop this nonsense. I have nothing further to say, thank you." Asked by the same unreliable reporter, why his association was accused of "ignorance, petty and pretentious." Mr. Bramble said: "I really haven't the faintest idea. Speaking for myself, I read my "Times of India." Asked by the same annoying reporter if the Association would consider trying Dr. Carter's Liver Pills, Mr. Bramble fumed and said: "No, I will do no such thing. Not for a dozen Beverley Nichols. I either eat at home or at Yacht Club and never touch any native food, so I don't see how I can possibly be accused of being liverish. It's atrocious even to suggest I am liverish." Our unreliable reporter then asked Mr. Bramble what songs he sang over the Radio. "I sing RULE BRITTANIA best,' Mr. Bramble said "but tonight I am singing something in a lighter vein." "What is it?" our reporter asked. "If you must know," Mr. Bramble blushed, "I am singing I am singing a new swing number called HINDUSTAN HAMARA."

DADABHAI NAOROJI MEMORIAL FUND DISPUTE SETTLED

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Ch..gla)

Sir Jenangir Boman-Behram & Others ..... Plaintiffs.

vs.

Miss Banoo Hirji Khoorshid .. .. Defendant.

A consent decree was passed on Wednesday in this representative suit filed by the plaintiff on behalf of the members of the Dadabhai Naoroji Memorial Association for an order directing the defendant who was the founder of the Association to hand over all the monies, securities and documents held by her to the plaintiffs. By her written statement the defendant had contended that the plaintiffs were neither trustees nor duly elected office-bearers of the Association and were not entitled to the funds. The defendant had sent all the documents to the Court after the present suit was filed.

CONSENT DECREE

By the Consent Decree it was declared that the monies standing in the Imperial Bank savings account in the names of the 4th plaintiff and the defendant belonged to the Association and the defendant had no beneficial interest in them. The plaintiffs agreed to have a regular trust deed prepared appointing proper trustees in whom the monies and securities of the Association would be vested,—the trust deed to contain a separate clause that the Government Loan note of Rs. 500 given by the defendant to the Association to be held on Trust by the trustees to perpetuate the memory of the defendant's father B.D. Hirji Khorshed and its income to be spent on the objects of the Association in his name. No order was made as to costs.

Mr. B. J. Kapadia instructed by Messrs. Dabholkar and Jeshtaram appeared for the plaintiffs.

Mr. B. D. Boovarivala instructed by Messrs. Mulla and Mulla appeared for the defendant.

Appeal Court Confirms Acquittal Of Chinaman

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Lokur and Mr. Justice Weston)

Imperator ..... Appellant.

vs.

Yan Chin ..... Opponent (Original Accused)

The accused, a Chinese fitter on board a merchant ship S. S. Wosang, was arrested on 3rd February by some Customs Officers who discovered 76 gold sovereigns worth about Rs. 3,800 under the floor board at the bottom of the wash basin in the ship while it was berthed in Victoria Docks. The accused was tried for having attempted to take the sovereigns out of British India without the permission of the Reserve Bank on a charge under Rule 90 B of the Defence of India Rules.

The trial court Mr. R. Mathalone, Presidency Magistrate acquitted the accused on 15th June last on the grounds, first that Rule 90 B was ultra vires Section 2 (2) (XXVI) of the Defence of India Act because it did not restrict the export of gold in respect of a particular person or class of persons in terms of the latter section but restricted it generally, and secondly, that the prosecution had failed to discharge the onus of proving that the permission of the Reserve Bank had not been obtained by the accused—that being a necessary ingredient of the offence under Rule 90 B.

Their lordships dismissed the appeal on the second of the above grounds, but did not express any opinion on the first ground as to the validity of Rule 90 B with regard to which the Advocate-General contended that the amendment now made in it was retrospective in express terms and had cured the invalidity. Their lordships confirmed the order of acquittal and ordered that the gold sovereigns in the custody of the court be restored to the accused.

The Advocate-General with the Government Pleader appeared for the Crown.

Mr. Dalal appeared for the accused.

'Babar'—No Insult To Muslims

A resolution passed at a meeting held by the Urdu Newspapers' Association, Bombay, on 7th instant, in connection with the Ranjit Movietone's Picture, "Shahenshah Babar", says: "We agree that this picture contains nothing that insults Islam or hurts the religious feelings of Muslims."

NAZI LOOT FROM OCCUPIED COUNTRIES

LONDON, Oct. 10.—Germany has exacted 6,600 million sterling from France, Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Norway, Bohemia and Moravia and Serbia in occupation costs and unpaid goods and services. These figures were given by Mr. Dingle Foot, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Economic Warfare, in the Commons to-day. He added that the present annual rate of exploitation is estimated at a maximum of 690 million Sterling. After the complete liberation of France, Belgium and Holland the latter figure will be reduced to approximately 460 million Sterling. —Reuter.

EX-PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY RELEASED

CAWNPORE, Oct. 11: Mr. Ajit Prasad Jain former Parliamentary Secretary, was released yesterday from the Fyzabad Jail.—United Press.

"C" Class Prisoner's Tale Of Woe

NAGPUR, Oct. 10.—Replying to a letter addressed by Mr. B. N. Saoji, a Congress worker, to Mahatma Gandhi in connection with the disabilities of the "C" class prisoners, Mr. Pyarelal, Gandhiji's Secretary, says: "The disabilities of the 'C' class prisoners are well-known to Gandhiji. He has condemned the whole system of classification of prisoners as it exists to-day. He makes no distinction between the political and non-political prisoners. He tried in his own way to remedy it but success was limited. The only way is to educate public opinion and make its pressure felt. "In the meanwhile those who are politically inclined and are able should organise local relief for 'C' class prisoners by providing them with necessary amenities. The press should and ought to render effective aid in this."

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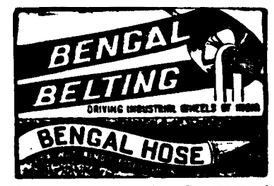

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Muslim: Savvai 23, 1363
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Sunrise: 7-32 a.m. Sunset 7-18 p.m.
Highttide: 10-20, 22-34
Lowtide: 3-26, 16-43
Municipal Corporation: 2 p.m. (B.T.)

To-day's Engagements

MAZDAZNAN: Mrs. Minnie S. Mehta on "The position of women in Mazdaznan Zarathushtrian religion" at Mazdaznan Temple Hall, Opp. Churchgate Station at 6-15 p.m. Mother Gloria will preside.

UNITED LODGE OF THEOSOPHISTS-MATUNGA: Study Class on "Dangers of Mediumship" at 8-15 p.m. at Anandi Nivas, Bhaudaji Road, Matunga.

TELEGRAPH & POSTAL HOLIDAYS: Monday the 16th October 1944 will be a Telegraph Holiday on account of DIWALI. The Telegraph branches only of the following combined offices, will, therefore, observe on that day the same working hours as on Sunday. Tuesday the 17th October 1944 will be a Post Office Holiday on account of 'DIWALI'. All the Deptts. of the Bombay G.P.O. and the T.S.Os. will observe on that day working hours as on Sundays. The telegraph branches of the following combined offices will, however, remain open as usual:—Bombay G.P.O.; Bandra, Byculla, Colaba, Dadar, Girgaon, Grant Road, Kalbadevi, Masjid, Mazagaon, Malabar Hill, Mahim, Mandvi, Matunga, Parel, Santa Cruz and Vile Parle.

SIR MANGALDAS NATHUBHAI CHARITABLE DISPENSARY: The total number of patients treated during September was 2,276, of whom 1,285 were males and 991 females.

PENTANGULAR CRICKET TOURNAMENT: At a meeting of the Managing Committee of the Parsee Gymkhana it was unanimously resolved to donate one-third of the gross takings of the Tournament in equal shares between the Poppy Day Appeal and the Gujarat and Khandesh Relief Funds

3,200 METRES ROAD RELAY: The Olympic Athletes Union have arranged to organise 3,200-metres Road Relay (4x800) on 22nd instant round the Oval starting at 8 a.m. Entries are accepted upto 17th instant. Further particulars can be obtained from the Hon Secretary at 2/1 Zavery Nivas, Kennedy Bridge, Bombay.

CHILDREN'S HOLIDAY LIBRARY: The Bombay Presidency Women's Council Children's Holiday Library will remain open upto Saturday (28th instant) at the Wilson College Hall, Chowpatty, from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m and from 3-30 p.m. to 6-30 p.m.

PRICES OF BAJRI, JOWAR AND MAIZE
At the beginning of June last the Government of Bombay announced that it would fix the prices to be paid under the Government purchase monopoly for bajri, jowar and maize in the light of conditions prevailing shortly before the harvest. The position having been carefully examined, the Government has now decided that the prices to be paid for these crops should be the same as the maximum rates prescribed for sales last season in the various areas of the Province

B. E. S. T. Unions' Merger

The B. E. S. T. workers have taken the decision to amalgamate their three Unions into one at a general body meeting held at Damodar Hall, Parel, on last Monday. The meeting also elected the pannel of office-bearers for the amalgamated Unions. The new office-bearers are:—President: Mr. N. M. Joshi; Vice-Presidents: Mr. S. C. Joshi and Mr. Adam Adil; Gen. Secretary: Mr. N. V. Phadke; Jt. Gen. Secretary: Mr. Dinkar Sakrikar; Treasurer: Mr. Latif Jaffrey and Gholap Hakim Hizarat Rasool continues to be General Organiser.

The three Unions thus amalgamated were known as the "B. E. S. T. Workers" Union, the Best Employees' Union and the Tramwaymens' Union. The amalgamated Unions will function as the B. E. S. T. Workers' Union. This new Union represents all the B. E. S. T. Employees including, Tram, Bus, Engineering and Kingsway Workshops.

Shortage Of Pulses In Gujarat

SURAT, Oct. 11: The recent floods and heavy rains in Gujarat have seriously affected the pulse crop in the districts of Ahmedabad, Kaira, Broach, Panch Mahals and Surat. According to reliable figures available here, the deficit for the current year is estimated at 65,000 tons, the annual requirements for the four districts being 82,000 tons. The output of the 187,000 acres under pulses in these districts is estimated at 16,700 tons.—A. P.

Mr. J. Erasmo Carvalho Dead

A Goa correspondent writes:—"The people of Goa will long remember Mr. J. E Carvalho, whose death has just occurred as a thorough democrat and staunch patriot. Earnest and magnanimous, he also had a strong courage born of deep conviction. That was the dominating trait of his lovable personality, and it prompted him to take a firm stand on many an occasion of momentous significance to his country. Throughout his political career he was a champion of the rights of the "small man." During the last thirty years, he played an important part in the annals of his country as an able journalist and popular politician.

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TODAY ON RADIO

THURSDAY, Oct. 12.

BOMBAY—1
244 m. (1,231 kc/s)
8-0 a.m. Bismillah and Party (Shahnai) 8-5 News (H) 8-15 News (E) 8-30 Baswaraj 8-50 News (M) 9-0 News (G) 9-10 Tomorrow 9-15 Ahmed Dilawar 9-30 Classical Hits 9-40 A. Y. Zarapkar 12-30 p.m. Bhajan 12-45 News (M) 12-50 News (G) 12-55 News (H) 1-0 Music from Film 1-30 News (E) 1-40 Lunch-Hour Music 4-20 School Broadcast 5-0 Sundra Bai 5-20 A. Y. Zarapkar 5-40 Ahmed Dilawar 5-55 Local Announcement 6-0 For Children (H) 6-30 News (E) 6-40 News (H) 6-45 News Commentary (M) 6-50 Music from Film 7-0 Contemporary Tendencies in Gujarati Literature 7-15 Sundra Bai 7-30 Baswaraj 8-0 Pramila Bai 8-15 In News 8-20 Music 8-25 News (M) 8-35 News (G) 8-45 Radio Reconnaissance (G) 9-0 News (H) 9 20 News (E) 9-30 B B C News 9-45 What Shall I Read? (E) 10-0 Marthe Naidu: Soprano 10-10 Archie Camden 10-30 Shanti Seldon: Pianoforte 10-45 S.S.R. Songs and Music

BOMBAY—2
61.48 m. (4,880 kc/s)
8-50 a.m. Baswaraj 9-0 Bhairon (Dilruba).
89.15 m. (3,365 kc/s)
7-30 p.m. Commercial News 7-42 Music 7-45 Rural Listeners 8-25 A. Y. Zarapkar 9-0 Sundra Bai 9-15 Ahmed Dilawar 9-30 Pramila Bai 10-0 "Ambrai" 10-30 Baswaraj.

PROF. RANGA GREETS MAHATMA

MADRAS, Oct. 11: Prof. N. G. Ranga, M.L.A. (Central), Kisan Leader, who was released from detention from the Tanjore Special Jail on October 9 and who arrived here last morning from Tanjore, will be staying here till October 13, when he will leave for Nidubrole to attend the Andhra Food Producers' Conference on October 14.

Leaving Nidubrole on October 20, Prof. Ranga will tour through the famine areas in the Vizagapatam District and proceed to Wardha to see Mahatmaji. He will stay at Wardha for three days after which he will proceed to Delhi to attend the Assembly Session.

Prof. Ranga has sent a telegram to Gandhiji informing him of his unconditional release, conveying his homage to him on his seventy-fifth birthday and assuring him of his support.—United Press.

MUNSTER AT DEFENCE COUNCIL

NEW DELHI, Oct. 11: The National Defence Council met again to-day at the Viceroy's House, says a Press "Communique". H. E. the Viceroy presided. Lord Munster, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for India was present for part of the proceedings.

The Food Member made a statement on the organisation of the Food Department and its working in the past twelve months, and a general discussion on the food position followed.

The Session then concluded.—A. P.

Lance-Naik Linguist Sings In Greek

FLORENCE, Oct. 10.
Twenty-one-year-old Lance-Naik Abdul Salim, of Trimulgherry, Secunderabad, who is serving in the R. I. A. S. C. with the Tenth Indian Division in Italy, has spent his leisure hours in learning languages.

He now speaks Urdu, Tamil, Telegu, Punjabi, Arabic, English, Greek and Italian. He wants to be an interpreter when the war is over.

I found Lance-Naik Salim entertaining his Madrasi comrades with Grecian songs in his tent beside a mountain stream, writes an Indian Army Observer. He told me of his Army service in Iraq, Iran, Cyprus, Egypt and Italy. Of his language prowess he remarked: "Arabic is a special joy; it has enabled me to understand the Holy Koran much better than I did."

South Indian Association In Italy!

FLORENCE, Oct. 11: V. C. Os. and men of Tenth Indian Division in Italy have formed a South Indian Association.

They meet each week-end to chat about home news and read newspapers and sing Madrassi tunes. They have their own gramophone and a large library of South Indian records.

Founder of the association is Subedar S. Mahadeaven R. I. A. S. C. a graduate from the National College, Trichinopoly, who lives at Second-street, Puducottah, Madras, and has been overseas for more than three years. Subedar Mahadeaven is their guide, philosopher and friend. The Secretary is Lance-Naik G. Kailash, R. I. A. S. C., in civil life a radio mechanic, of 106 Manohar Pukar-road, Calcutta.

"Dil Pazir Jewel Raffle"

The Dil Pazir Jewel Broach Raffle, in aid of Beggars' Friend Fund will be drawn by Mr. M. D. Bhatt, Municipal Commissioner, Bombay, at the Municipality Office on Sunday, the 15th October 1944. The winning prize number will be declared in all the popular papers.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL WORKERS' CENTRAL COUNCIL

A joint meeting of the representatives of the various Municipal Unions was held under the chairmanship of Mr. S. C. Joshi. The chairman and other speakers exhorted for joint action by all employees for securing their demands. Accordingly, "The Bombay Municipal Workers Central Council", consisting of two representatives of each union and three elected members, was formed.

As a preliminary to the conference of all the Municipal employees it was decided to submit a joint memorandum demanding adequate D. A., Improvement in the scales of pay of low-paid employees, improvement in Revised Leave Rules, etc.,

BAN ON CERTAIN TYPES OF FIREWORKS

In view of the near approach of the Diwali festival, the public are reminded that the order issued by the Commissioner of Police, Bombay in 1942, forbidding anyone to let off certain types of luminous fireworks, is still in force. The banned fireworks are crackers more than 3½ inches long and three-quarters of an inch in diameter magnesium wire, "fulgeris" (including sparklers, "kanakatara" and "fulbajl") Rockets, Roman candles and "anar" (including fountains, "nala", "chandrajyot" and "baporia").

Indian Cricket Team To Tour Ceylon?

MADRAS, Oct. 11: An Indian cricket team will visit Ceylon early next year if the invitation of the Ceylon Cricket Association, which has been renewed now, is accepted by the Board of Control for Cricket in India.

The President of the Board of Control has directed the Secretary to circulate the Ceylon Association's letter to all Provincial Cricket Associations for their views. The President has no objection to an Indian team visiting the island early next year, in view of Ceylon's assurance.

The Ceylon Association has suggested that the Indian team may arrive in Colombo on 5th or 6th March and complete the tour on March 25 or 26, 1945.—A. P.

Table Tennis Players For Bombay

CALCUTTA, Oct. 11: The following players from Bengal have entered in the various events of the All-India Table Tennis Championships and will soon start for Bombay with the Bengal team for the inter-provincial championships:—

Singles: C. E. Merrett; Arun Ghosh; Amal Sircar; Kumar Ghosh; R. Hussain; S. Banerji; Amar Mukherji; N. Banerji; Munis Chaterji and D. Dutt.

Men's Doubles: A. Ghosh and C. E. Merrett; A. Sircar and A. Mukherji; K. Ghosh and R. Hussain.

Women's Singles: Miss Arpita Das; Miss Manju De.

Women's Doubles: Misses Das and De.

Mixed Doubles: De Merrett and Miss Das; Arun Ghosh and Miss De; R. Hussain and Partner; A. Sircar and Partner.—A. P.

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THE difficulties that beset the path of the pioneer, equipped though he be with the most modern and highly specialised of automatic plants, are hardly less serious today than in the eighteenth century with its primitive machinery driven by air or water-power. Now, as then, perseverance and a will to succeed are the deciding factors which produce results.

The inventive spirit of the Bangalore Mills, which has evolved and perfected a variety of superfine cotton shirtings, suitings and other fabrics, is fully alive to India's growing needs for improved cotton fabrics. But for the duration of the war the entire capacity of the Mills has to be devoted to the vital task of clothing our fighting services.

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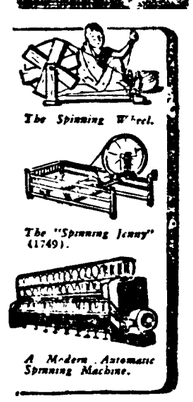

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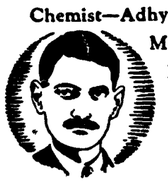

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SEVEN ARMED AXIS SOLDIERS CAPTURED BY INDIAN FOLLOWERS

Two unarmed Indian non-combatants—a cook and a bhisti—made history in the Battle of North Africa by capturing seven armed Axis soldiers.

The followers were slowly making their way towards a dugout when they suddenly ran into seven German and Italian soldiers carrying rifles and tommy-guns. The followers shouted "Dushman" and dashed towards their dugout for protection. The enemy thought that they were being attacked, threw down their weapons and held up their hands in token of surrender.

The cook and the bhisti then proudly marched their prisoners back to Brigade Headquarters and were greeted by the cheers of the British troops.

If you want details about joining the Indian Army, these can be obtained from any Recruiting Office. 20

ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, Oct. 11: The following is the weather-chart showing maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches recorded at nine hours L. M. T. on 8th Oct.:—

Allahabad 87 75 0, BOMBAY 89 76 0, Calcutta 94 80 0, Cawnpore 91 72 0, Cuttack 92 77 0, Darjeeling 68 55 0, Delhi 91 63 0, Dehra Dun 84 61 0, Jacobabad 90 59 0, Karachi 85 69 0, Lahore 87 55 0, Lucknow 92 70 0, Madras 93 78 0, Nagpur 91 73 0.2, Patna 87 76 0, Peshawar 81 55 0, Shillong nil nil nil, Simla 68 53 0.—A. P.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Neither the naked hand, nor the understanding, left to itself, can do much; the work is accomplished by instruments and helps of which the need is not less for the understanding than the hand.

—Francis Bacon.

The Bombay Chronicle

CONGRESS ORGANISATION

Yesterday we supported the suggestion made by many that a conference of Congressmen should be held at an early date to devise a programme of work and to strengthen the Congress organisation. As a matter of fact the latter question has already been taken up by Congressmen in several places. The District Congress Committees in Bombay City, which have not been declared unlawful, have begun to function again. In U. P. an "Assembly of U. P. Congressmen" has been formed in order to evolve, so long as the local Congress organisation remains unlawful, some arrangement "which will maintain discipline among workers and ensure the carrying on of constructive and other normal activities of the Congress". As the membership of the Assembly is said to be open only to delegates to the Congress, members of the Central and Provincial Legislatures elected on the Congress ticket, and those who were Presidents and Secretaries of District, City or Town Congress Committees in August 1942, it appeares that the Assembly is meant to be a substitute for the U. P. Provincial Congress Committee and to represent the province as a whole. But it is reported that Congressmen who were not imprisoned during 1942 and 1943, and members of the Radical Democratic and the Communist parties are debarred from being members of the body. If the members of these groups are otherwise eligible for membership of the Assembly, we fail to see why they should be virtually expelled merely because Government did not imprison them or because they belong to this or that political party. The Congress, unlike sectional organisations, seeks to represent the whole country including its political minority parties so long as their members accept the Congress creed. If members of the excluded groups have been elected to the Congress bodies mentioned above, their exclusion from these bodies means the virtual exclusion of their electors. The case would be different if the new Assembly were meant to be just one more party within the Congress other than the Communist Party or the Socialist Party or if it were a Committee of Action formed solely for the purpose of implementing the August resolution of the A.I.C.C. But even in that case we think it unfair to exclude from the Assembly those elected Congressmen who accept the resolution and who are ordinarily eligible to be included in that body. As a matter of fact the Assembly is said to be formed to carry out the constructive programme and other normal activities of the Congress. Why then exclude Congressmen who approve of these activities?

The question of discipline is being considered in Bombay City also. The Managing Council of the F. Ward District Congress Committee has passed a resolution recommending to the higher Congress authorities to take disciplinary action and debar those individuals and groups within Congress who had acted in contravention of the resolution of the A. I. C. C. passed on 8th Aug. 1942. This resolution is more cautious and is aimed against only those who act against the A. I. C. C. resolution and only recommends disciplinary action. But the higher authorities are not functioning normally. However, it is but fair that those individuals who oppose the resolution should voluntarily resign from executive committees, which are expected to implement it as far as possible. The debarring of whole group is more complicated task for reasons stated above. It may well await the normal functioning of bodies competent to take disciplinary action or the proposed All-India Congressmen's Conference. In questions of this type one is naturally anxious to know Gandhiji's views thereon It has been vaguely suggested in certain places that he is keen on Congress reorganisation and disciplined work. But such vague statements may mean many things and should not be interpreted to mean anything inconsistent with Gandhiji's published instructions. His views on Congress reorganisation and discipline may well be published in precise terms for the benefit of all Congressmen.

Security Or Peace?

The Dumbarton Oaks blue print of a world security organisation follows the essential pattern of the Geneva League of Nations. For the Geneva Assembly, there will be a General Assembly of all peace-loving nations of the world functioning on the basis of sovereign equality. For the Council of the League, the executive authority, with practically all the powers in its hand, there is to be a Security Council with similar authority and constituted on the same basis of permanent and non-permanent members. Germany, Italy and Japan have disappeared and the United States and China have come in as permanent members. The entry of the United States is an important difference and the displacing of Japan by China is welcome. An equally important difference is that Russia will occupy that prominent place which once belonged to France in the old Council. Formerly the permanent members were in a majority, now the privilege is to be enjoyed by the six non-permanent members who will be elected by the General Assembly. Improvement has been effected in the matter of voting also. But it is noticeable that, according to the "New York Times", no agreement has been reached about the Council voting on a charge of aggression against a permanent member.

The aims of the organisation, as defined in the usual language of all good ideals and principles, are unexceptionable and an attempt has been made to give a more practical shape to the problem of sanctions. But while the general principles are all right, much will depend on the details of the practical working of the organisation. One or two things, however, need to be noted in the meantime. The "New York Times" report already referred to points to the problem of voting if the aggressor is one of the Big Four. That problem is important and needs to the settled lest it destroy the whole structure of the peace organisation. There is another difficulty which affects the foundations of the structure. The League of Nations failed essentially because the Big Powers were either Imperialistic in fact (the Haves) or Imperialistic in ambition (the Have nots).—So long as the assumption that any one nation can regard any other country, whatever the condition of that country and whatever the excuse, as "our own", is not given up universally and unequivocally, conflicts and intrigues will be inevitable and so will be the resultant failure of any peace plan however virtuously conceived. We do not find in Dumbarton Oaks blue-print any repudiation of that assumption. Are they organising security or peace also?

FRANKLY SPEAKING

The Kremlin Lunch

It is the practice of the Kremlin that social functions in honour of distinguished persons, are held up until the virtual completion of the serious business at hand. Is there, therefore, some agreeable significance in the report that almost within twenty-four hours of Mr. Churchill's arrival in Moscow and his first conference with Marshal Stalin, the Russian leader gave a characteristically elaborate luncheon in his guest's honour? The report adds: "Mr. Churchill and Marshal Stalin were in high spirits and were the life of the party, the British Prime Minister being at the top of his form." Is the Moscow meeting to be marked by another "blaze of unity"? Let us earnestly hope so.

China's Situation

China's allies have sent messages of greetings and good wishes to that country on the occasion of its National Day. Some of them have been good enough to admit that China's situation is serious and have also been decent enough not to talk nauseatingly of alleged "lavish" aid given to her. China's situation is certainly serious, even though it may not be hopeless as Mr. Donald Nelson emphasises. But what is to be realised is that the gravity of China's situation affects the war situation in the Far East. It is, of course, too much to expect from China's Allies an acknowledgement of their moral obligations to her or sympathy with her exclusively for her suffering. But self-interest ought to fetch them, so to speak. Admiral Nimitz and Mr. Roosevelt appear to be conscious of what is at stake. Let us hope the British also are. Let us hope the promise implicit in Admiral Mountbatten's message begins to be fulfilled.

A Deplorable Episode

The executive committee of the newly-formed Representative Assembly of the U. P. Congressmen has adopted a resolution censuring the action of the Congress members of the Allahabad Municipal Board in failing at the last moment to support the Congress candidate, Mr. Shafi Ahmed Kidwai, for the Executive Officer's post. The resolution echoes the feelings of many Congress leaders in stating that the Congress Councillors have, "by their action forfeited the right to speak or act on behalf of the Congress and should, therefore, resign immediately. This is some vindication of Congress prestige and honour. But the Councillors' conduct has already done much mischief and it may be long before sufficient reparation can be made. It appears that Gandhiji has condemned in strong terms the action of the Councillors and has even suggested that persons constituting the Assembly should not seek election to the Municipal Board. It will be a great advantage if he issues a full statement on this deplorable episode.

Homoeopathy Misrepresented

I find recently some Homoeopathic medical practitioners are advertising themselves in different fashions in the English and the Indian languages newspapers that they cure cancer, advanced tuberculosis, diabetes, etc., by their homoeopathic treatment. By such advertisements they are bringing disrepute to the homoeopathic system of medicine, instead of proving the superiority of homoeopathy, I am inclined to say a few words here. Cancer, tuberculosis and other deep-seated miasmatic diseases which have already undermined the vitality of the patient considerably, are incurable. No system of medicine can bring back life to the patient when the miasm has already overcome the vitality. One of the greatest authorities in homoeopathic system of medicine Dr. James Tyler Kent, M.D., has mentioned in his Materia Medica under Carbo-Animalis Page 343:

"Most patients who have cancer are really in such a state of disorder that only a temporary cessation of hostilities can be expected; and anyone who goes around boasting of the cancer cases he has cured ought to be regarded with suspicion."

Therefore, I request the public that they should be cautious against such hopeful advertisements. These advertisements are not to the interests of the science.

A. C. DAS.

ABUL HASHIM WANTS AUTONOMY

Solve Hindu-Muslim Problem In Provinces

CALCUTTA, Oct. 10: "Unless and until we ourselves forge unity we shall always be at the mercy of the third party", said Mr. Abul Hashim, M.L.A., Secretary of the Bengal Provincial Muslim League, in a statement on the failure of the Gandhi-Jinnah talks. Mr. Hashim said the closure of the negotiations should be looked upon "not as a breakdown but as an adjournment".

He added: "It is now our turn to help our leaders by mutually thrashing out details and all aspects of the wider question of Congress-League unity.

The members of the Congress and the League should now discuss and mutually try to solve the issue as it affects their respective areas. Such a course of action on our part will not only dispel ill-feeling and stop mutual recrimination but will also help our leaders concretely in coming to a just and early agreement".

In conclusion, Mr. Hashim appealed to both the Congress and the League of Bengal "To put their heads together and consider in all its aspects the problem of unity" as it affected Bengal.—A. P.

JEWISH TERRORIST ACTIVITIES IN PALESTINE

LONDON, Oct. 11: Giving details in the House of Commons today of recrudescence of Jewish terrorist activities in Palestine, Mr. Oliver Stanley, Colonial Secretray, said that on the night of September 27 attacks were made on four police stations by members of the Irgun Zvai Leumi, the military organisation of a new Zionist organisation. They were planned and executed by a force of at least 150 men armed with bombs and automatic weapons. There were casualties among the Palestinian police and civilians and considerable damage to police buildings. There were also casualties among the terrorists and two men were arrested. In a raid on the department of light industries, textiles valued at 100,000 sterling were removed.

Mr. Stanley said these attacks, whose object was to further political aims, seriously impeded the war effort of the United Nations and could do nothing but harm to the Jewish cause. They were the work of a relatively small body of extremists and were condemned by responsible leaders of the Jewry in Palestine and throughout the world

Earl Winterton (Conservative) said, those in touch with the people in Palestine were alarmed by the information reaching them that both sides were arming preparatory for a civil war after this war. He suggested that Government should publish a report on the subject, so that the British people might know of the seriousness of the situation.

Mr. Stanley agreed it was most important that the people should realise the tense situation and said he would consider what he could do in the matter.

War Criminals And Eire

The British Government has left the Eire Government in no doubt of its attitude on the question of war criminals who might try to land in Eire. Mr. Paul Emrys Evans, Under-Secretary for Dominions, stated this in the Commons today in reply to a question.

INDIA MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS BILL

LONDON Oct. 11.—The India Miscellaneous Provisions Bill which makes minor amendments to the Government of India 1935 Act passed its remaining stages in the Commons today and was read the third time without discussion. It has now passed both the Houses and only awaits Royal assent.—Reuter.

PRESERVING WORLD SECURITY

New Organization To Replace League Of Nations

The following is the full text of the Dumbarton Oaks Agreement:—

There should be established an international organisation under title of The United Nations, the charter of which should contain provisions necessary to give effect to the proposals which follow.

CHAPTER ONE—PURPOSES

The purposes of the organization should be:

One, to maintain international peace and security; and to that end to take effective collective measures for prevention and removal of threats to the peace and the suppression of acts of aggression or other breaches of the peace, and to bring about by peaceful means adjustment or settlement of international disputes which may lead to a breach of the peace;

Two, to develop friendly relations among nations and to take other appropriate measures to strengthen universal peace;

Three, to achieve international cooperation in the solution of international economic, social and other humanitarian problems;

Four, to afford a centre for harmonizing the actions of nations in the achievement of these common ends.

CHAPTER TWO—PRINCIPLES

In pursuit of the purposes mentioned in Chapter One the organization and its members should act in accordance with the following principles;

One, the organization is based on the principle of the sovereign equality of all peaceloving states.

Two, all members of the organization undertake, in order to ensure to all of them the rights and benefits resulting from membership in the organization, to fulfill the obligations assumed by them in accordance with the Charter.

Three, all members of the organization shall settle their disputes by peaceful means in such a manner that international peace and security are not endangered.

Four, all members of the organization shall refrain in their international relations from the threat or use of force in any manner inconsistent with the purposes of the organization.

Five, all members of the organization shall give every assistance to the organization in any action undertaken by it in accordance with the provisions of the Charter.

Six, all members of the organization shall refrain from giving assistance to any state against which preventive or enforcement action is being undertaken by the organization.

The organization should ensure that states not members of the organization act in accordance with these principles so far as may be necessary for maintenance of international peace and security.

CHAPTER THREE—MEMBERSHIP

One, membership in the organization should be open to all peaceloving states.

CHAPTER FOUR—PRINCIPAL ORGANS.

One, the organization should have as its principal organs!

A. a General Assembly;

B. a Security Council;

C. an International Court of Justice,

and

D. a Secretariat.

Two, the organization should have such subsidiary agencies as may be found necessary.

CHAPTER FIVE—THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Section A—Composition.

All members of the organization should be members of the General Assembly and should have a number of representatives to be specified in the Charter.

Section B—Functions and Powers.

One, the General Assembly should have the right to consider the general principles of co-operation in maintenance of international peace and security, including the priciples governing disarmament and regulation of armaments; to discuss any questions relating to maintenance of international peace and security brought before it by any member or members of the organization or by the Security Council; and to make recommendations with regard to any such principles or questions. Any such questions whereon action is necessary should be referred to the Security Council by the General Assembly, either before or after discussion. The General Assembly should not on its own initiative make recommendations on any matter relating to maintenance of international peace and security which is being dealt with by the Security Council.

Two, the General Assembly should be empowered to admit new members to the organization upon recommendation of the Security Council.

Three, the General Assembly should, upon recommendation of the Security Council, be empowered to suspend from the exercise of any rights or privileges of membership any member of the organization against which preventive or enforcement action shall have been taken by the Security Council. The exercise of the rights and privileges thus suspended may be restored by decision of the Security Council. The General Assembly should be empowered, upon recommendation of the Security Council, to expel from the organization any member of the organization which persistently violates the principles contained in the Charter.

Four, the General Assembly should elect the non-permanent members of the Security Council and members of the Economic and Social Council provided for in Chapter Nine. It should be empowered to elect, upon recommendation of the Security Council, the Secretary General of the organization. It should perform such functions in relation to the election of the judges of the International Court of Justice as may be conferred upon it by the statute of the court.

Five, the General Assembly should apportion the expenses among members of the organization and should be empowered to approve the budgets of the organization.

Six, the General Assembly should initiate studies and make recommendations for the purpose of promoting international co-operation in the political, economic and social fields, and of adjusting situations likely to impair general welfare.

Seven, the General Assembly should make recommendations for the coordination of the policies of the international economic, social and other specialized agencies brought into relation with the organization in accordance with agreements between such agencies and the organization.

Eight, the General Assembly should receive and consider annual and special reports from the Security Council and reports from other bodies of the organization.

Section C—Voting

One, each member of the organization should have one vote in the General Assembly.

Two, important decisions of the General Assembly, including recommendations with respect to maintenance of international peace and security; election of members of the Security Council; admission of members, suspension of the exercise of the rights and privileges of members and expulsion of members; and budgetary questions, should be made by a two-thirds majority of those present and voting. On other questions, including determination of additional categories of questions to be decided by a two-thirds majority, decisions of the General Assembly should be made by a simple majority vote.

Section D—Procedure.

One, the General Assembly should meet in regular annual sessions and in such special sessions as the occasion may require.

Two, the General Assembly should adopt its own rules of procedure and elect its president for each session.

Three, the General Assembly should be empowered to set up such bodies and agencies as it may deem necessary for performance of its functions.

CHAPTER SIX—THE SECURITY COUNCIL

Section A—Composition.

The Security Council should consist of one representative of each of the eleven members of the organization. Representatives of the United States of America, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, the Republic of China, and in due course, France, should have permanent seats. The General Assembly should elect six states to fill the non-permanent seats. These six states should be elected for a term of two years, three retiring each year. They should not be immediately eligible for re-election. In the first election of the non-permanent members three should be chosen by the General Assembly for one-year terms and three for two-years terms.

Section B—Principal Functions And Powers.

One, in order to ensure prompt and effective action by this organization the members of the organization should by the Charter confer on the Security Council primary responsibility for maintenance of international peace and security and should agree that in carrying out these duties under this responsibility, it should act on their behalf.

Two, in discharging these duties the Security Council should act in accordance with the purposes and principles of the organization.

Three, the specific powers conferred on the Security Council in order to carry out these duties are laid down in Chapter Eight.

Four, all members of the organization should obligate themselves to accept the decisions of the Security Council and to carry them out in accordance with provisions of the Charter.

Five, in order to promote the establishment and maintenance of international peace and security with the least diversion of the world's human and economic resources for armaments, the Security Council, with assistance of the military staff committee referred to in Chapter Eight, Section B, paragraph nine, should have the responsibility for formulating plans for re-establishment of a system of regulation of armament for submission to members of the organization.

Section C—Voting.

(Note—The question of voting procedure in the Security Council is still under consideration).

Section D—Procedure.

One, the Security Council should be so organized as to be able to function continuously and each state which is a member of the Security Council should be permanently represented at the headquarters of the organization. It may hold meetings at such other places as in its judgment may best facilitate its work. There should be periodic meetings at which each state-member of the Security Council could, if so desired, be represented by a member of the Government or some other special representative.

Two, the Security Council should be empowered to set up such bodies or agencies as it may deem necessary for performance of its functions, including regional sub-committees of the military staff committee.

Three, the Security Council should adopt its own rules of procedure, including the method of selecting its president.

Four, any member of the organization should participate in the discussion of any question brought before the Security Council whenever the Security Council considers that the interests of that member of the organization are specifically affected.

Five, any member of the organization not having a seat on the Security Council and any state not a member of the organization, if it is party to a dispute under consideration by the Security Council, should be invited to participate in the discussion relating to the dispute.

CHAPTER SEVEN—AN INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE

One, there should be an International Court of Justice which should constitute the principal judicial organ of the organization.

Two, the court should be constituted and should function in accordance with a statute which should be annexed to and be a part of the Charter of the organization.

Three, the statute of the Court of International Justice should be either (a) the statute of the Permanent Court of International Justice, continued in force with such modifications as may be desirable or (b) a new statute in preparation of which the statute of the Permanent Court of International Justice should be used as a basis.

Four, all members of the organization should *ipso facto* be parties to the statute of the International Court of Justice.

Five, the conditions under which states not members of the organization may become parties to the statute of the International Court of Justice should be determined in each case by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the Security Council.

(To Be Continued.)

He Unfurled Swaraj Flag At Calcutta Congress

Tributes To Dadabhoy Nowroji's Services To India At His 100th Birth Anniversary

It was Dadabhoy Nowroji who, for the first time at the Calcutta Session of the Indian National Congress unfurled the banner of Swaraj for India and showed us the way to achieve our goal. If we had followed his way of politics, India would have been much nearer self-government today observed Sir Chimanlal Setalvad while presiding over a meeting held on Wednesday for the celebration of 100th birth anniversary of the 'Grand Old Man of India' under the joint auspices of the Dadabhoy Nowroji Memorial Committee, the Western India Liberal Association, Nationalist Christian Party, the Bombay Presidency Muslim Youths' Federation and two other organisations. The Besant Hall at the Blavatsky Lodge was full to its capacity. Messrs. N. M. Joshi, M.L.A., Jamnadas Dwarkadas and Mrs. M. J. Lam spoke on Dadabhoy Nowroji.

Continuing Sir Chimanlal referred to the activities of Dadabhoy while he was in England and said that he worked there for India's freedom. He was a great student of history and politics and his methods were constitutional. He did not believe in non-co-operation and civil disobedience. Our younger generation should follow his example and then only we can make greater progress.

GREAT PATRIOT

Mr. N. M. Joshi paying his tribute said that Dadabhoy was the greatest patriot of India. He spent the early part of his career in educating the masses of India. To secure justice for and improvement in the life of the Indian people, Dadabhoy tried to create favourable public opinion in England. He was elected a member of the Parliament and there he did his best to secure justice for India.

In India, Mr. Joshi continued, public life in Dadabhoy Nowroji's days was a difficult job and in spite of disappointments, he carried on his work with faith. He was a believer in the constitutional methods for getting India's grievances redressed.

Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas recalled the days of Home Rule movement and said that Dadabhoy's message was that there was no question of Swaraj being given to us but there was only the question of taking it from British Government."

Mrs. M. L. Lam said that Dadabhoy Nowroji started women's movement in India and spread education among them. He sowed the seeds of national awakening.

The meeting terminated after singing of 'Hindustan Hamara' by Harijan boys.

SECURITY DEMAND SET ASIDE

NAGPUR, Oct. 11.

A Full Bench of the Nagpur High Court consisting of Messrs. Justices Neyogi, Bose and Hemson ordered yesterday the issue of a notice to the Provincial Government on the application of Mr. W. G. Sheorey, editor, "Independent" to set aside the Order of the Provincial Government demanding a security of Rs. 1,000 from him as the keeper of the "Independent" Press in respect of an article in "Bhavitavya" headed the "Message of August Resolution".

The amount of Rs. 1,000 was deposited yesterday.—United Press.

Reply To Ambedkar

Sir C. P. On Future Role Of Hinduism

NEW DELHI, Oct. 11

Sir C. P. Ramaswami Avvar, Dewan of Travancore, was entertained at an evening party by Mr. Jamnadas Mehta, member of the Central Assembly. Those present included Srimati Sarala Devi Chaudhurani, Sir Asoka Roy, Law Member, Sir Jogendra Singh, Member for Education, Health and Lands, the Maharajas of Dharbhanga and Kallikote, and Pandit Rajnath Kunzru.

Mr. Jamnadas Mehta in a brief speech expressed unstinted admiration for Sir Ramaswami Ayyar who he said was a unique combination of scholar, statesman, politician, social economic and industrial reformer.

Sir Ramaswami Ayyar said: "I feel the time has come when the Hindu community should not feel apologetic about itself, (hear, hear) when it should feel and make others feel and realise that as a community, it has a right to exist and assert itself, not in antagonism, rivalry, exclusion or trespass; but within its own ambit and horizon; willing to work with others, but not willing to be submerged, suppressed, derided or insulted."

Sir Ramaswami referred to "a gentleman of great eminence, a scholar", who was able at a public gathering recently to say of the Vedas and the Gita that they were nonsense. He did not know, said Sir Ramaswami Ayyar, what would have happened if he himself or Mr. Jamnadas Mehta had got upon his hind legs at a place in or near Delhi and said that the Koran was mere twaddle or that the Bible was composed of bad history and worse mythology and was based on a system of slavery.

They should have expected short shrift. "That any person could imagine he could get away with such abuse of Hinduism is no discredit to him but a great deal of discredit to us. I am at one with those who think that what was said by that eminent gentleman was to no small extent deserved by us."

Yet it was possible if the Hindu community should gird up its loins to absorb join together and make itself a homogeneous and strong entity. He made an illustrative reference to what had been achieved in Travancore, where he said for a hundred years and more an inner impulse for reform had been at work. Some seventy years before England thought of these things, a Maharani of that state placed before it the ideal of a school for every five square miles and a hospital for every three square miles. The present ruler had taken up the work of enfranchising the Depressed communities; the Pandits, preceptors and religious men of the State were in support of the ideals of the young ruler, and it was possible to throw open temples to untouchables. That was not all; a programme of economic rehabilitation was started; a sum of Rs. ten lakhs was set apart for that purpose every year. Many high officers in the State belonged to the backward communities.

What, he asked, was the history of Hinduism? It was a history of protestantisms, a history of absorptions, amalgamations; not a history of exclusion.

Working in that spirit, a great deal could be achieved, he asserted. "A renaissance of the spirit is approaching," he felt sure. "Let us be ready, prepared and fit for it, when it comes." (Cheers).—A.P.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

Thirdly, the report shows that no agreement was reached about the Council voting on a charge of aggression against a permanent member.

It is understood that the whole question of Council voting has been referred to a meeting of heads of States, which is expected to take place before the end of the year.

—American Report on Dumbarton Oaks Plan.

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According to a New Delhi report, Dr. Moonje and Dr. Ambedkar have met and discussed plans for an agreement between the Hindu Mahasabha and the Scheduled Castes.

We eagerly await the results of the meeting of these two "pollutuans" as per Dr. Moonje's definition.

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So Mr. Beverley Nichols has delivered himself of his "Verdict on India." We thought the gentleman Kaie had recovered thanks to the efforts of Indian Doctors. We seem to have been wrong. In fact Mr. Nichols has grown worse and now become born a foot and mouth disease case. The habit of opening his mouth in order to put his foot in it is evidently responsible for the poison having inevitably entered the head.

But he will be all right. We mean, he will, as usual pass out of this stage, too. Mr. Beverley Nichols has intermittently suffered from changing intellectual crises *ads nseum* ever since he became twenty-five and called upon the world to notice him.

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In his message to Marshal Chiang Kai-Shek on the occasion of China's National Day, Admiral Mountbatten says: "I express the confident hope that the next celebration of this event will be in happier circumstances....."

This assurance ought to be acknowledged with particular gratitude and relief by the Generalissimo.

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President Roosevelt has also made a statement on the Anniversary of the Chinese Revolution.

But the conspicuous point about Roosevelt's statement is that he does not shout about American aid, much less about its being "lavish"

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Moscow report of a luncheon: "Mr. Churchill and Marshal Stalin were in high spirits and were the life of the party, the British Prime Minister being at the top of his form."

He would be. Mr. Winston Churchill is so wonderfully—er—er—adaptable.

We are sure Marshal Stalin was duly amused and entertained.

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The doctor whose medical skill far exceeded the clarity of his handwriting sent an invitation to a patient to spend an evening with him, adding that there would be music, cards, and so forth.

The friend failed to turn up and sent no explanation.

When they met the following day the doctor asked whether he had received the note.

"Yes, thank you," replied the other. "I took it to the chemist and had it made up, and I feel much better already."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

A thorn in the flesh is more troublesome than two on the bush.

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The man who can't meet his obligations is always meeting his creditors.

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A man is apt to have decided views when his wife decides them for him.

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Time is a sort of perpetual motion arrangement for making yesterdays of to-morrows.

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Trouble seems to be a patriotic affliction. It makes the eyes red, the hair white and the feelings blue.

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The trouble with some men is that they work too hard trying to get things they don't need and never ought to want.

Jinnah Must Show Courtesy To Press

Punjab Journalists Ask All Editors' Conference To Apply "Sanctions"

ROHTAK, Oct. 10: The Working Committee of the Eastern and Southern Punjab Journalists' Association which met here passed a number of resolutions.

One resolution considered Mr. Jinnah's treatment to journalists on various occasions as "highly deplorable" and requested the All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference "to persuade Mr. Jinnah to treat journalists in a proper manner". The resolution added that they should withhold co-operation from Mr. Jinnah "in case he does not promise to show courtesy to the Press."

DON'T HANDCUFF

By another resolution the association protested against the action of the authorities in handcuffing master Wazir Chand, editor of the "Pratap" (Lahore) and urged the Punjab Government to issue instructions to the police not to handcuff any journalist, if he is arrested in the course of the discharge of his duties.

The Committee condemned the action of the Bombay Government in demanding a security of Rs. 6,000 from the "Free Press Journal" and asked the Provincial Government to cancel the order immediately.

Toll Of 'Sick Destitutes'

CALCUTTA, Oct. 11.

There were 42 admissions and 8 deaths of sick destitutes in Calcutta hospitals yesterday, according to the Director of Public Information. Three persons were discharged the same day.—A. P.

No Leave To Appeal To Privy Council

High Court Rejects Mullaji Saheb's Petition

The Chief Justice, Sir Leonard Stone, and Mr. Justice Kania at the Bombay High Court rejected on Monday, a petition filed by Mullaji Saheb praying for leave to appeal to Privy Council from a decision of Mr. Justice Kania and Mr. Justice Chagla, reversing the order made by Mr. Justice Coyajee for stay of a suit filed by Amiruddin Salebhoy Tyabji against the Mullaji Saheb in the High Court of Bombay.

The suit was filed by Amiruddin Salebhoy Tyabji as a result of his being excommunicated by the Mullaji Saheb for various reliefs. The Mullaji Saheb thereafter took out a notice of motion for stay of the suit till the hearing and final disposal of an appeal pending before the Privy Council and of a suit pending in Surat.

In asking for leave to appeal to the Privy Council, it was urged on behalf of the Mullaji Saheb that the decision of Mr Justice Kania and Mr. Justice Chagla was a final judgment.

The Chief Justice rejected the application and held that the decision was not a final judgment, decree or order of the High Court within the meaning of clause 39 of the Letters Patent and that, therefore, no appeal lay to the Privy Council.

Mr. F. J. Coltman with Sir Jamshedji Kanga, instructed by Messrs. Mulla and Mulla, appeared for the petitioner.

Indian Writers' Conference

CAWNPORE, Oct. 10.

The Indian Writers' Association has decided to hold an Indian Writers' Conference at Behari Niwas, Cawnpore, during the Christmas holidays. A committee of the members including Yogendra Shukla and Dr. S. Vidyarthi was formed to chalk out a programme for the conference.

LONDON, Oct. 10.

New York (Columbia Broadcasting System) radio says, the Brazilian Navy will soon take over complete patrol activity in the South Atlantic. This will release United States units for war in the Pacific.—Reuter.

PARACHUTISTS LAND IN JORDAN VALLEY

One Of Mystery Men Believed To Be Linguist

JERUSALEM, Oct. 10.

It is officially stated that "there are indications that one or more parachutists of unknown nationality may have dropped over the Jordan Valley during the last few days.

The public are asked to report at once to the nearest police station any information which may lead to the apprehension of these men. One of the men, probably over six feet tall, speaks Arabic, German and Scandinavian languages. He may also speak English with an American accent."

12 Jap Ships Destroyed, 14 Probably Sunk

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.

A carrier task force attacked Rhykyu islands yesterday, according to the communique issued to-day from the headquarters of Admiral Chester Nimitz Commander-in-Chief of the Pacific.

At least twelve Japanese ships were destroyed, 14 probably sunk and 12 Japanese aircraft were destroyed on the ground. Fourteen Japanese aircraft were shot down.

Complete surprise was achieved by the attack. There was no damage to Allied surface ships. Allied plane losses were light.

The Rhykyu or Lucha islands comprise a group of 55 islands—the most considerable of which are Oshima and Okinawa—which extend in a south-westerly direction from Kyushu in Japan to a point 73 miles from the north-east coast of Formosa.—Reuter.

Commons Take Churchill's Advice

LONDON, Oct. 9.

As suggested by Mr. Churchill on Friday, the Commons to-day agreed to the deletion of the second part of the Town and Country Planning Bill dealing with compensation for land needed for rebuilding bombed areas. This is now being considered by an all party committee and if an agreement is reached it will be included in the bill at a later stage.—Reuter.

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Erratic Movements In City Markets

SHARE PRICES FINISH STEADY

BOMBAY, October 11.

All the city markets witnessed irregular movements on both sides but ultimately finished with a steady tone. Cotton was erratic but closed higher. Gold as well as silver market after a smart rally reacted partially. The share market was steady after early weakness. Moorat transactions on the share market will take place on Monday, the 16th of October between 5 and 6-30 p.m.

The Share Market opened steady and after fluctuating narrowly prices declined on selling pressure. Towards the close the market regained the lost points and closed with a better tone.

Tata Steel Defds. after opening at Rs. 2.072 dropped to Rs. 2,052-8. Ordinaries were steady at Rs. 370. Dyeing opened at Rs. 1,730 and eased off to Rs. 1,715. Kohinoor were placed at Rs. 549, Nagpur Rs. 377, Swadeshi Rs. 493 Finlay Rs. 276, Gokak Rs. 297, New Great Rs. 367, Century met good support with buyers at Rs. 820, India United Mills were easy at Rs. 13-9-6 for Ordinaries and Defds. Rs. 2-11-9.

At the close of the market, Defds found buyers at Rs. 2,075, Dyeing Rs. 1,727 and Kohinoor Rs. 654.

TEXTILES

Bombay Dyeing xd 1727-8; Century xd 822-8; Central India 378; Colaba Land 210; Finlay 278; Gokak 301-8; Indian Bleaching 170; Kohinoor 553; Morarji 617-8; Mysore 605; New Great 369; Phoenix 560; Simplex 234-8; Swadeshi 494-8; Swan 300; Ahmedabad Advance 405; Aurangabad 1750; Apollo 3-12; Berar 300; Bharat xd 63-4; Bradbury 330; Coorla 205; David 1100; Dawn 1125; Edward Textiles 662-8; India United Defd 2-12-3; India United Ord 13-3; Elphinstone Ord 74-8; Hindustan 3750; Indian Manuf. 3850; Indore Malwa 693-12; Khatau 337-8; Laxmi 1320; Madhawji Defd 18-4; Madhusudan 427-8; Meyer 195; Minerva 240; Model Naygur 262-8; New City 367-8; New Union 23-8; Podar 340; Poona Mill 135; Sajjan xd 390; Sassoon Cotton 21-8; Sassoon Silk 86-4; Shapurji Bharucha 9; Sholapur 7200; Shrinivas 315; Tata Mills 59; Vishnu Cotton 470; Western xd 3400.

STEELS AND MININGS

Tata Steel Defd 2072-8; Tata Steel Ord 372; Shivrajpur 51-8; Indian Iron 38-15; Bengal Steel 30-10; Burma Corporation 4-9-0; Indian Copper 2-15-3.

CEMENT

A.C.C. 223-8; Andhra Valley 1830; Tata Power 1875; Tata Hydro xd 203; Bombay Tramway 149; Ahmedabad Electricity 205; Amalgamated Electric 16-4; Ajmere 14-8; B. Suburban 215; Broach 11; Karachi 247-8; Poona 295; Surat 220.

BANKS

Baroda 132; Central 77-4; Habib 74-8; Hindustan Com. 54; Hindustan Merchan. 49; Imperial F P 1973-12; Imperial P P 482-8; India 178; International Bank xd 64; Jaipur Bank 70-8; Reserve 132; Union 9-1; United Commercial 82-8.

INSURANCE

Br. I. General 18-8; Empire 617-8; Jupiter 30; Indian Mercantile 65-12; New India 76; New Great 24-8; Oriental 6100; Vulcan 16.

RAILWAYS

Ahmedabad Prantej Railway 755; C. P. Railway 102; Dhond Baramati 119; Mandra Bhon 118; Pachora-Jamner 102; Sialkot Narowal 124.

MISCELLANEOUS

Alcock 427-8; B.I.C. 6-6-0; Belapur Sugar 225; Bombay Steam 526-4; Bombay Burma 437-8; B. Burma (New) 172-8; Premier Construction 190-8; Br. Burma Petrol 3-15-3; Indian Radio Ord 470; Indian Radio Defd 450; Industrial Investment Trust 126; Kesar Sugar 250; Port Canning 108; Scindia Steam 29-14; Tata Oil xd 70-12; Tata Chemicals 20-14; Dhrangadhra Chemical 517-8; Dharamsi Chemicals 53-8; Wimco Match 293-12.

PREFERENCE SHARES

7 per cent Andhra Valley 1685; 7 1/2 per cent Tata Power 1787-8; 7 per cent Tata Hydro 168-2; 7 per cent Bombay Tram 71-12; 6 per cent Tata Steel 1st 225; 7 1/2 per cent Tata Steel 2nd 160-8; 6 per cent Bombay Steam 362-8; 5 per cent Ahmedabad Advance 145; 7 per cent Bradbury 560; 5 per cent Central India 735; 7 per cent Elphinstone 119-8; 5 1/2 per cent New Great 236-4; 6 per cent New Victoria 10-4; 5 per cent Swadeshi 150; 7 per cent Vishnu 792-8; 6 1/4 per cent Hindustan Construction 129-8; 6 1/4 per cent Premier Construction 1st 141; 6 1/4 per cent Premier Construction 2nd 138-8; 5 1/2 per cent Amalgamated 145.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

3 1/2 per cent Government Paper 99-10; 2 3/4 per cent 1948-52 99-12; 3 per cent 1946 102-8; 3 per cent 1949-52 101-8; 3 per cent 1951-54 101-1; 3 per cent 1954-55 100-8; 3 per cent 1957 100-3; 3 per cent 1963-65 99-2; 3 per cent 1966-68 98-4; 3 1/2 per cent 1947-50 103-10; 4 per cent 1960-70 112-11; 4 1/2 per cent 1955-60 116-2; 5 per cent 1945-55 103-15.

INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE.

Tata Ordinary 370, Tata Deferred 2,057-8, Indian Iron 38-12, Steel Corpn of Bengal 30-6, Bombay Dyeing 1,722-8, Central India 376-4, Century 811-4, Gokak 298-12, Kohinoor 551,4, Simplex 233, Andhra Valley 1,830, Tata Hydro 207-8, Tata Power 1,880, Associated Cement 222-8. Belapur 225, Bombay Burma (Old) 430.

Gold & Silver

The market ruled steady on short covering. Gold opened at Rs. 64-14 and advanced to Rs. 65-3. Silver started at Rs. 119-4 and went upto Rs. 120.

Subsequently prices made further headway with gold touching Rs. 65-12 and silver Rs. 120-8. And these levels, there was good deal of selling pressure silver dropped to Rs. 119-8 and gold to Rs. 64-8. Owing to tight position in the ready the market improved on buying support from the Chokseys.

	Rs.
Silver Settlement	120 4 0
Silver Ready	122 10 0
Gold Settlement	64 15 0
Gold Ready	65 13 0

Bombay Cotton

After yesterday's drastic decline, the Cotton Market ruled quiet but steady. I.C.C. March opened around Rs. 398-8 and after touching Rs. 401-12 reacted to Rs. 400-8. Later on the rate improved to Rs. 403 on short covering but again dropped to Rs. 398 to recover to Rs. 402-8. The market was erratic on alternate bouts of buying and selling orders from professional operators.

Closing prices:—

I.C.C. March	Rs. 402 4
I.C.C. May	Rs. 410 8

WALL STREET QUOTATIONS

Anaconda Copper Mining	27-3/8—0
General Motors	63-1/4+1/8
U. S. Steel Corporation	58-3/8+1/4

READY COTTON QUOTATIONS

Khandesh Jarilla	250/310
Berar Jarilla	315/340
289 F Jarilla	415/470
N. T. Jarilla	415/450
289 F. Saw-ginned	505/530

COTTON ARRIVALS

Central Provinces 15, Sindh Punjab 48, Broach 457, Total 520 Bales. Total this Season 137,637 same period last year 57,077 Bales.

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, Oct. 10.

The market was in the doldrums with the Goverament's support programme superseding continued favourable war news and yesterday's unexpectedly large crop estimate. Meanwhile routine fixations and trade buying offset the effect of hedges against continued large spot sales. Prices thereafter steadied on dribbling fixations, with traders generally assuming a standby attitude, pending the forthcoming Washington conferences in connection with future domestic and export programmes. The market closed steady.

NEW YORK COTTON.

October 22.06, December 21.86, January 21.79 Middling Spot 22.42.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

October 22.06, December 21.92, January 21.83, Middling Spot 21.56.

NEW YORK COTTON, NOON CALL.

October 22.02, December 21.87, March 21.59.

London, Oct. 10.

Wheat Rozario (new crop) 30/3 Oct.-Nov. quoted, Wheat Australian (bulk) 45 Oct.-Nov. quoted, Wheat Australian (bags) 48 Oct.-Nov. quoted.

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE

Tata Steel Defd (2066-4) 2070 2075 2067 2071-4 2050 2057 2047-8 2062-8 2060 2072-8

Tata Steel Ord (371) 372 369-8 372

Bombay Dyeing (1723-12) 1725 1728-12 1722-8 1728-12 1715 1723-12 1721-4 1727-8.

Nagpur (378) 379 375-8 378

Kohinoor (554) 555 557 554 547 553

New Great (370) 370 371-8 369

Simplex (234-8) 233-8 235-8 232 234-8

Svadeshi (496) 496-8 498 492 494-8

Associated Cement (222-8) 222-8 222 223-8

Bombay Burma (456-4) 457-8 440 445 428-12 437-8

20-TON FLY WHEEL HURTLED THROUGH ROOF

DOUGLAS ISLE OF MAN, Oct. 10.

A twenty-ton fly wheel flew off the generator at the electricity power station here tonight, hurtled through the roof, broke up in mid-air and fell in various parts of the town after travelling nearly half a mile.

Though many people had narrow escapes no one was hurt. Two pieces of the fly wheel crashed through a five-storey building, destroyed a diesel engine and wrecked much of building.

UNWARRANTED ATTACK ON ALL-INDIA MUSLIM MAJLIS

Mr. Adam Adil, Hon. Secretary, Bombay Branch, All-India Muslim Majlis, writes:—

Mr. Jinnan in a statement to the Press conference on Wednesday charged Gandhiji with attempting to split the Mussalmans just because Gandhiji recognised other Muslim elements, who did not see eye to eye with Mr. Jinnan Now Mr. I. I. Chundrigar, President Bombay Provincial Muslim League, in his recent speech at a public meeting has made a blunt declaration, which implied that what the League regarded to be the tool in the hands of the Congress to split the Musalmans, is the All-India Muslim Majlis. Obviously Mr. Chundrigar also referred to the Bombay Branch of the Majlis which was just then formed. The only argument Mr. Chundrigar has put forth against the Majlis, is his allegation that it consists of Nationalist Muslims, who are Congressmen.

So it seems, the League has started its attack on the Majlis, by denouncing it as mere mercenary tool in the hands of Gandhiji and Congress to split the Musalmans.

It must be made clear, first of all that the members of the Muslim Majlis are not all Congressmen. It is true some of them are Congress Muslims. But a large number of them come from non-Congress stock.

Besides, those who have gathered under the banner of the Muslim Majlis are tried and trusted men of eminence. They have sacrificed and suffered for Muslim as well as Indian cause, since the very beginning of their careers. It would be foolish, indeed to imagine that they sacrifice and suffer just in order to be tools in the hands of the Congress to split the Musalmans.

Muslim Majlis may sympathise with the Congress. It may even cooperate with it in the struggle for freedom. But to denounce it as the Congress-tool to split the Musalmans just for that reason, is a deliberate attempt to misrepresent it. It is an unwarranted device to rouse the Muslim feeling against it.

The Muslim Majlis has at no time underrated the power and the influence of the League. Whenver the Muslim Majlis had disapproved of League's policy, it has done it in a frank and friendly manner Let the League reciprocate.

YARN MARKET RULES STEADY

BOMBAY, Oct. 11.

The yarn market has remained fairly steady during the whole past week and prices have fluctuated within very narrow limits. In case of coarse counts and medium coupts prices did not show any important change since sufficient supply is available in the local market for handlooms as well as for powerlooms and dealers are not reluctant to make sales of their stocks at control prices. In case of fine yarns however prices are still higher and they are not available at control rates, as dealers do not show inclination to make sales of any fine yarns at or near the control prices. The reasons are not far to seek. As a matter of fact stocks of fine yarns are very limited as compared with their demands from powerlooms as well as from handlooms. Furthermore, some of the Mills though they have been under Government Control are not able to give quotas to their dealers.

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA

An Account pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, for the week ended the 6th day of October 1944.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs. a	Rs.
Notes held in the Banking Department		10,44,36,000
Notes in circulation		949,97,15,000
Total Notes issued		960,41,51,000
ASSETS	Rs.	Rs.
A. Gold Coin and Bullion:—		
(a) Held in India	44,41,43,000	
Sterling Securities	844,32,89,000	
B. Rupee Coin		13,83,14,000
Govt. of India Rupee Securities		57,84,05,000
Total Assets		960,41,51,000

Ratio of Total of A to Liabilities: 92.537 per cent.

LONDON SILVER.

London, Oct. 10.

Spot 23-1/2. Forward 23-1/2.

LONDON GOLD.

Gold Bars Fine per oz. £8-8-0.

Chiang Admits Situation Serious

But Ready To Counter-Act Jap's Present Drive

CHUNGKING, Oct. 10.

Generalissimo Chiang-Kai-Shek making the first public statement in several months to-day, admitted that China's military situation was serious.

He assured Government leaders present however that the Japanese drive did not come as a surprise and he had already made preparations to meet the present situation. He emphasised the coming year would bring victory and urged the Chinese people to tighten their belts and endure hardships for just a little while longer.

Throughout his address the Generalissimo made no mention of the Allies and did not appeal for Allied assistance.

Warrants Against All Vichy Ministers

PARIS, Oct. 10.

The French Council of Ministers decided this evening to issue warrants for the arrest of all Vichy Ministers.

Flandin, Peyrouton and Bergert will be tried soon.—Reuter.

CALICUT QUOTATIONS.

CALICUT Oct. 11.

Copoanuts Raw 65, Dry 85 Cocoanut Oil 310, Copra Office 187/8 Dilpasand 200, Madrasnottam 235, Godgoda 242/8, Pepper Wynaad 285, Country 275, Dry Ginger Chernad 170, Ernad 16, Coffee Robusta 105.

'SELFISH OLIGARCHY'

Hameed Ahmed Resigns Sargodha League Secretaryship

LAHORE, Oct. 11.

Chaudhri Hameed Ahmad Member of the All-India Muslim League Council, has resigned from the Secretaryship of the District Muslim League, Sargodha.

Chaudhry Hameed Ahmad, in a statement says: I had joined the Muslim League, "In the earnest belief that centrifugal tendencies in the Islamic body-politic would be welded into a strong centripetal force to serve the greater Islam, thereby rendering a dynamic service to the Muslim masses whose economic lot has become a tragic tale of contemporary world events. But my experience has emphatically negatived my expectations".

After criticising the Executive of the Punjab Provincial Muslim League, Mr. Ahmad says: "It is an objective fact in the situation that the interests of a selfish oligarchy can never be reconciled with the interests of the Muslim masses at large".

He concludes "In view of this fact I have decided to resign from the secretaryship of the District Muslim League, Sargodha in which position, I am convinced, I cannot usefully employ myself with altogether a repelling background".—A. P

Wheat Enters Madras Rations

MADRAS, Oct. 11: It is understood that wheat will be introduced shortly as part of the rationed quota of food grains in Madras City. It is learnt that one-sixth of the ration will be given in wheat.

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Additional Prices for (a) to (d) above for—(1) Supercalendered and water finished, or for Rag qualities only, parchment finished, Rs. 0-0-3; (2) Coloured, Rs. 0-1-0; (3) 10 to 25 per cent. Rag furnished, Rs. 0-1-6; (4) 26 to 50 per cent. Rag furnish, Rs. 0-2-6; (5) 51 to 75 per cent. Rag furnish, Rs. 0-4-0; (6) 76 to 100 per cent. Rag furnish, Rs. 0-8-0.

(Qualities referred to in (3) to (6) are:—Banks, Bonds, Typewriting, Azure Laid, Ledger, and Cheque Book paper.)

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(c) As in (b) above, but in substances corresponding to substances below 22 x 29-30 lbs. 480's with a minimum of 22 x 29-30 lbs. 480's.—Rs. 0-9-0.

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	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.
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Additional prices for—(1) Superca lendered or waterfinished, Rs. 0-0-3; (2) Embossed or decorated, Rs. 0-1-0; and (3) coloured Rs. 0-1-0.

IV. SPECIAL THIN QUALITIES IN SUBSTANCES CORRESPONDING TO SUBSTANCES BELOW 10 LBS. DEMY 500's—

	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.
(a) Toilet Paper cut to small sizes	0 8 6	(b) Airmail	1 0 0
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	Rs. a. p.
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(b) Unbleached	0 12 3
(c) Coloured.	0 13 6

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	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.
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		(h) Grey board	0 7 9

Additional prices for—(1) Coloured, Rs. 0 1 6; (2) Supercalendered or waterfinished, Rs. 0-0-3; (3) Waterproofed, Rs. 0-0-3; and (4) Corrugating and Silicating, Rs. 0-1-1.

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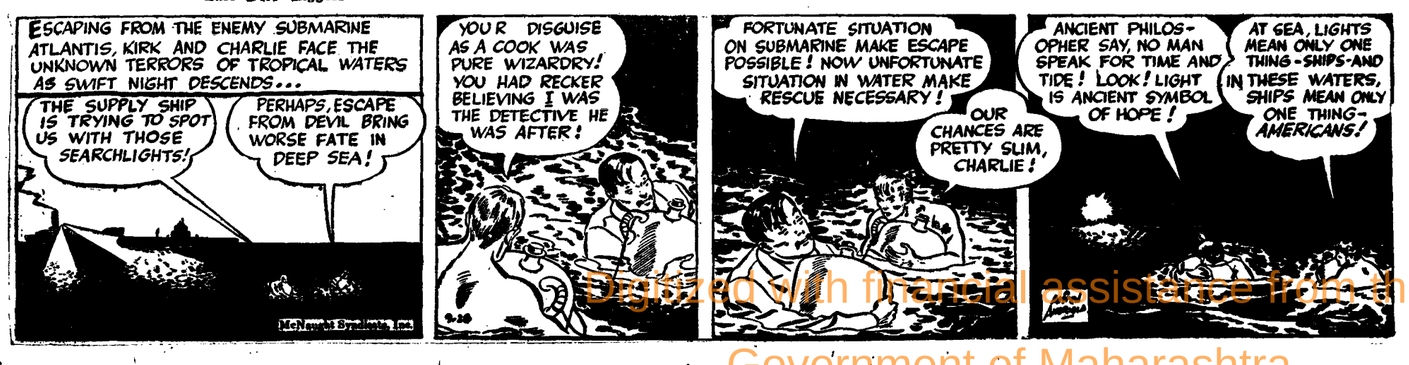
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Principal of the Debentures of the above Loan is repayable on 1st November 1944. The Trustees of the Port of Bombay will pay on Wednesday the 1st November 1944, to the holders of the said Debentures all principal moneys and interest due up to 31st October 1944, upon presentation, discharge and surrender of the said Debentures at the Office of the Chief Accountant, Bombay Port Trust, Ballard Road, Bombay, between the hours of 10-30 a. m. and 4-0 p. m. on 1st November 1944. From and after 1st November 1944, interest will cease to run on any of the Debentures not so presented, discharged and surrendered.

Holders of the Debentures are requested to lodge their Debentures for repayment a week before the 1st November 1944, so that the preliminary examination required may not operate to prevent payment being made on the 1st November 1944.

Dated this 4th day of October, 1944.

By order of the Trustees of the Port of Bombay,
A. S. BAKRE.
Acting Secretary.
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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION BOMBAY-SIND.

APPLICATIONS are invited by 23-12-44 for the post of SUPERINTENDENT, COMMERCIAL ARTS SECTION, SIR J. J. SCHOOL OF ART, BOMBAY. AGE—Ordinarily not less than 23 and not more than 30 on 1-2-45. PAY—Rs. 500-700 PLUS Compensatory Local Allowance if admissible. QUALIFICATIONS—(1) Diploma in Drawing and Painting of the Government of Bombay or a diploma awarded after five years' course in Drawing and Painting by any other recognised Government Art Institution in India, or a Diploma of the Royal College of Art, London, (2) practical knowledge of Commercial Art in all its branches as well as actual practical experience in a Commercial Art Studio and (3) a good general education and an adequate knowledge of English. Candidates should be efficient organisers and capable lecturers and demonstrators. Application form supplied on receipt of large addressed envelope with 3½ annas postage stamps and on payment of one rupee either in cash in the office of the Bombay-Sind Public Service Commission or by an UNCROSSED Indian Postal Order in favour of the "Secretary, Bombay-Sind Public Service Commission" who will supply full details on request.
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NOTICE

THE CASH TRANSACTIONS of the Motor Vehicles and Taxation Departments will be closed on MONDAY, the 16th October, 1944.

E. SHEEHY,
Dy. Commissioner of Police,
M. V. & Taxation, Bombay.
Motor Vehicles Dept.
Gymnasium Road, Bombay,
11th October, 1944.
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PUBLIC NOTICES

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, under Section 465 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888, that it is the intention of the Municipal Corporation of the City of Bombay to take into their consideration at their Ordinary Meeting proposed to be called for Monday, the 4th December 1944, or for such subsequent date as may hereafter be notified a draft of revised Bye-laws with respect to buildings proposed to be made by the Municipal Corporation of the City of Bombay under Section 461 (a), (c), (d) and (dd) of the said Act.

2. The Corporation will before finally approving the said draft revised Bye-laws receive and consider any objection or suggestion which may be made in writing by any person with respect thereto before the day of the said Meeting.

3. Any person desiring to object to the said draft revised Bye-laws, on giving written notice to His Worship the Mayor of the Corporation not less than 10 days before the day of the said Meeting, of the nature of his said objection will, by himself or his Counsel, Attorney or Agent, be heard by the Corporation thereon at the said Meeting, but not so as that more than one person be heard on the same matter of objection.

4. A printed copy of the draft revised Bye-laws is kept at the office of the undersigned for public inspection and any person who wishes to peruse the same will be permitted to do so during office hours free of charge.

5. Printed copies of the draft revised Bye-laws will also be delivered to any person requiring the same on payment of a fee of Re. 1 per copy.

By Order,
B. V. MODY,
Municipal Secretary.
Municipal Corporation Office,
Bombay, 10th October 1944.
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IRON SCRAP FOR SALE

PORT OFFICER, BHAVNAGAR, invites offers for the whole lot of iron scrap of dredgers spoil pipes and pontoons weighing approximately 85 tons or so, (lying at port office. Ferry, Bhavnagar Bunder, for inspection), which should reach the undersigned not later than Wednesday, the 15th November 1944. Terms and conditions will be supplied on application.

Reserved offer is fixed at Rs. 2,550|-.

(Sd.) D. L. NEOGY.
Port Officer,
Bhavnagar State.
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BHAVNAGAR PORT DEPARTMENT

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED before 21-10-1944 to fill in the Temporary work-charged post of grade Rs. 80|100 of Second Engineer on a Suction Dredger. Second Class Land Engineer's Ticket or Second Class Inland Steam Vessels Engineer's Ticket or First Class Marine Driver's Ticket with education will be the minimum qualifications. One having experience of working of Bellirs Morcane Type Engine and Marine Boiler will be preferred. Probationary period is six months on a grade of Rs. 75|-.

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Port Officer,
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NOTICE

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the following temporary posts:—

(1) SECTION CLERK. Pay Rs. 100-5-140 with D. A.
(2) 2 SURVEYORS. Pay Rs. 120-15/2-180 with D. A. plus C. A. Rs. 30
(3) 3 INSPECTORS. Pay Rs. 120-15/2 180 with D. A. plus C. A. Rs. 30|-.

Minimum qualification for the post of Section Clerk is matriculation and that for the posts of Surveyors and Inspectors is knowledge of engineering and architect's work. Retired persons, if fit, will also be considered.

M. A. FARUQUI,
Collector of Bombay.
Collector's Office,
581.

MORVI-RAILWAY

TENDER-NOTICE

SEALED TENDERS for the supply of Consumable Stores and Stationery for Calendar year 1945 are invited and will be received by the Stores Superintendent Morvi Railway Morvi, upto 5-30 p.m. of 25th November, 1944.

(2) Tender forms along with the schedules can be had on payment of Rs. 3 for Consumable Stores and Re. 1 for Stationery per copy.
(3) Earnest money of Rs. 200 for Consumable Stores and Rs. 100 one hundred for Stationery tenders must accompany each tender.
(4) Tenders must be superscribed "Tenders for Consumable Stores" and "Tender for Stationery" as the case, may be.

T. N. OZA,
Ag. Stores Superintendent,
Morvi Railway, Morvi.
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PUBLIC NOTICES

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA

THE BANK will be CLOSED on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, the 17th and 18th October, 1944, those days being Public Holidays (DIVALI) under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881.

N. G. IRVINE,
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Bombay, 7th October, 1944.
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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION BOMBAY-SIND.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED by 23-12-44 for two posts of Medical Officers (Malaria), Bombay. PAY—Rs. 200-400 (probationers 1st year Rs. 150 and 2nd year Rs. 180) PLUS allowances. Higher starting pay may be allowed. AGE—Ordinarily not more than 28 years on 1-2-45. QUALIFICATIONS—M.B.B.S. or other equivalent qualifications WITH experience of blood work in malaria. Candidates holding D.T.M. or M.D. (in Tropical Medicine) or Sanitary Inspector's certificate preferred. Application form supplied on receipt of large addressed envelope with 3½ annas stamps and UNCROSSED Indian Postal Order for Re. 1|- payable to "Secretary, Bombay-Sind Public Service Commission." Bombay, who will supply full details on request.
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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Bai JENABAI, widow of Nowrojalli Dossa as duly appointed guardian of NOORBANOO, GULSHAN and ZARINA, daughters and PHIROZE, son of Nowrojalli Dossa of Bombay Khoja Mahomedan Inhabitants has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client. Any person having any claim against or to the said property of whatsoever kind is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at 36, Tamarind Lane, Fort, Bombay, within FOURTEEN DAYS from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece of land, admeasuring 504 Square Yards or thereabouts situate on and being Plot No. 109B of the Sanahurst Road East Estate of the Municipal Corporation of the City of Bombay in the City and Island and Sub-Registration District of Bombay, bounded, on the North by a road forty feet in width on the East by Plot No. 110 on the South by Plot No. 109A and on the West partly by plot No. 106A and partly by plot No. 108B which piece of land forms portion of a New Survey No. 2184 and bears Cadastral Survey No. 69|1721 Mandvi Division with buildings assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under B Ward No. 4137 (2) Street No. 30A.

Dated this 11th day of October, 1944.

GHULAMALI NOORANI & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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AUCTION SALES

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY AT KAMBEKER STREET.

Messrs. BENNETT & CO. will on FRIDAY the 24th November, 1944, at 4-30 P. M. (N.S.T.), sell by public auction on the premises the property hereunder described at the risk of the representatives of the deceased Mortgagor Haji Ossman Haji Esmail Chunawalla, and by order of the Mortgagees in pursuance of the Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage dated the 11th September 1924.

Piece of land of perpetual Fazandari tenure with building situate at Kambeker Street, admeasuring about 310 sq. yds. bearing Collector's new Survey No. 1313 and Cadastral Survey Nos. 1159 and 1160 of Mandvi Division and Municipal "B" Ward Nos. 1000,1001, Street Nos. 138|140|142 and "B" Ward No. 999, St. Nos. 98-100.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Shroff & Co., Attorneys for the Mortgagees at 375, Hornby Road, or to the undersigned.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY AT REAY ROAD, MAZAGON.

Messrs. BENNETT & CO. will on FRIDAY, the 17th November, 1944, at 4-30 P. M. (N.S.T.) sell by public auction on the premises the property hereunder described at the risk of the representatives of the deceased Mortgagor Ardesher Rustomji Hazary and by order of the Mortgagees in pursuance of the Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage dated the 20th February, 1922.

Pieces of land partly of Fazandari tenure and partly freehold with the building and situate at Reay Road, Mazagaon admeasuring about 399 sq.yds. bearing Collector's new Survey No. 3598 and Cadastral Survey No. 63 of Mazagaon Division and Municipal "E" Ward No. 5096, St. No. 1.

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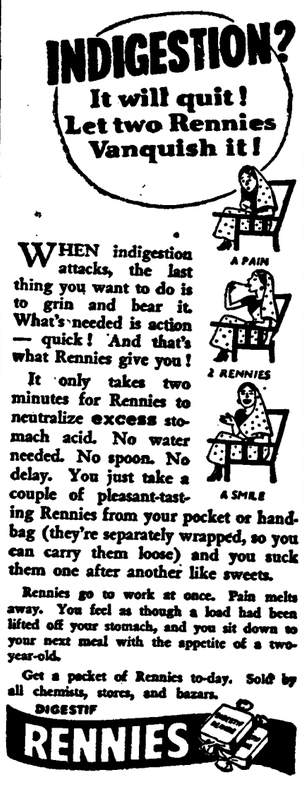
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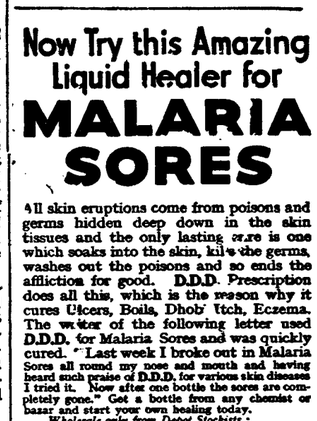
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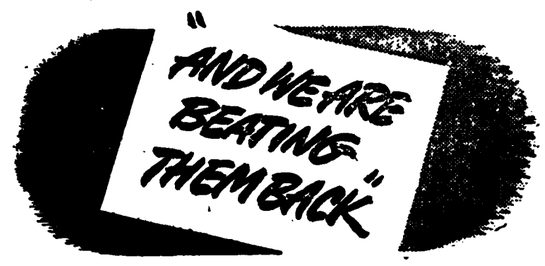
ON trackless paths our men advanced, mud-bespattered, clammy with sweat, wet with incessant rain and loaded with their guns and equipment. HOW DID THEY ENDURE IT? No words can tell. *But they did endure it.* It was a war of endurance. It was under such conditions that our men fought and defeated Japan's fanatical forces.

LET US SALUTE OUR SOLDIERS WHO PROVED THAT WE CAN BEAT THE JAPANESE...



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